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ROOSEVELT'S TOWN HUSHED FOR SERVICE

Silent Crowds Turn to Church—Nations Represented—Simple Exercises by Friends.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Jan. 8—The body of Theodore Roosevelt was carried into Christ Episcopal church shortly before 1 o'clock today and the simple funeral service was immediately begun.

The body was committed to earth at 1:43 p. m. in a family cemetery plot overlooking Long Island sound.

Oyster Bay, Jan. 8.—Except for two sons, absent as soldiers in their country's service overseas, the family of Theodore Roosevelt, twenty-sixth president of the United States, assembled in the living room at Sagamore Hill shortly before noon today for the first of three simple services—at home, church and graveside, with which the body of the noted American will be laid to rest as a private citizen of this Long Island village.

WIDOW REMAINED AT HOME.

Mrs. Roosevelt, sharing her husband's antipathy to funeral ceremony decided not to attend the church services, nor to join the procession to the cemetery. It was announced that she would bid good-bye to the body of her companion in the house where they had lived for many years, while her children, who grew to manhood and womanhood in the atmosphere of the old homestead, would see all that is mortal of their famous father committed to earth in the family plot topping the highest hill in Young's Memorial cemetery, overlooking Long Island sound.

SIMPLICITY.

Rev. George E. Talmage, rector of Christ Episcopal church, the Roosevelt family church, said the service was expected to be concluded within fifteen or twenty minutes after the casket was brought in. The element of simplicity was to be followed, the clergyman said, even to omission of the customary organ voluntary while the Episcopal funeral service was being read.

IN PROCESSION.

After the former president's body was carried by household servants to the hearse, it was announced a procession of fifteen automobiles would be formed to convey the attendants at the prayer service to the church.

The first car, the Colonel's own, with his faithful negro chauffeur, Charlie Lee, at the wheel, was to carry Mrs. Nicholas Longworth and Mrs. Richard Derby, Jr., daughters of the Colonel; Mrs. Archibald Roosevelt, his daughter-in-law, and his sister, Mrs. Douglas Robinson.

Captain Archibald Roosevelt and Theodore Douglas Robinson, a nephew, were to proceed to the church a few minutes ahead of the procession with the rector, who is a nephew of the famous preacher, the Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage.

THE SERVICE.

The church service of ten parts, was to include the Sentences, the Psalter, (Psalms 39 and 90), the Scriptural lesson, Corinthians 15:15, the Colonel's favorite hymn "How Firm a Foundation," recited by the rector, the Lord's prayer, and the prayers for grace, thankfulness, transfiguration and support.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Jan. 8.—Long before the hour set for the funeral services for Theodore Roosevelt this afternoon silent crowds of villagers and visitors collected in the vicinity of Sagamore Hill, Christ Episcopal church, and Young's Memorial cemetery. Many tried in vain to get admission to the spacious grounds of the Roosevelt estate, but mounted police, special deputy sheriffs and detectives kept all on the move.

HUSH OVER TOWN.

Visitors were impressed with the hush that fell over the town as the hour for the services approached and the general air of sorrow on the countenances of the citizens.

AIRPLANES OVER.

School children, dismissed for the day, assembled in the streets and talked in subdued whispers. The droning of the motors of the army airplanes that hovered over the Roosevelt mansion seemed to accentuate the stillness. Business was virtually suspended. Many buildings were draped with crepe and flags drooped at half-staff.

AT PRAYER SERVICE.

Only the immediate members of the family were present at the prayer service at the house prior to the rites at Christ church, as follows:

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt.
Representative and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth.
Captain and Mrs. Archibald Roosevelt.
Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr.
Mrs. Richard Derby.
Mrs. Douglas Robinson, the Colonel's sister.
Mr. and Mrs. T. Douglas Robinson, the former being the Colonel's nephew.
Rear Admiral W. S. Scowles.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Alsop.
W. Emlen Roosevelt and John K. Roosevelt, cousins of the Colonel.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Reeve Merritt.
Mrs. J. West Roosevelt.
Mr. and Mrs. Langdon Warner.
Mrs. Hilbourne L. Roosevelt.
John E. Roosevelt.
Mrs. Fairman Dick.
Mrs. Monroe Robinson.
Mrs. Langdon Geer.
Mrs. John E. Roosevelt.
Mrs. James A. Roosevelt.
Mrs. Frederick Roosevelt.
Samuel Roosevelt.
Miss Nellie Tyler.

SERVICE.

The Rev. George E. Talmage, a friend of the family, read the Episcopal service for the dead at Christ church at 12:45 o'clock.

There was no special music and no eulogy. The only departure from the impressive ritual was the recitation by the rector of Colonel Roosevelt's favorite hymn: "How Firm a Foundation."

IN THE CHURCH.

Admission to the little village church where the Colonel worshipped was by card and was limited to fewer than five hundred.

President Wilson was represented by Vice President Thomas R. Marshall, the army by General Peyton C. March and the navy by Admiral C. McR. Winslow, and delegations will represent both branches of congress. Governor Alfred E. Smith and leaders of both branches of the legislature represent New York state.

FRIENDS INVITED.

Among the close friends of the former president invited were:

Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, former President William Howard Taft and former Justice Charles Evans Hughes.

A delegation of Rough Riders, who served under the Colonel in the Spanish-American war have places of honor.

ORGANIZATIONS.

Among the organizations sending representatives were the American Academy of Arts and Letters; St. Nicholas Society, Campfire Club, Harvard Club, Boone and Crockett Club, Republican club, American Defense Society and Union Leagu Club.

Interment was in Young's Memorial cemetery. Only immediate friends were present when the coffin of plain oak was lowered to its final resting place.

CUBA'S BIG PLANS TO SHOW HONOR

Havana, Tuesday, Jan. 7—Congress today unanimously adopted a resolution declaring Wednesday, a day of national mourning in honor of the death of Colonel Roosevelt. It was also decided to have inscribed on a bronze tablet a copy of the former president's letter to President T. Estrada Palma, written on the occasion of the "institution" of the republic of Cuba. The tablet will be placed on the new capital building.

A monument to cost $175,000 is to be erected to Colonel Roosevelt. Sculptors in all parts of the world will be asked to send designs for the memorial.

POPE SPEAKS OF ROOSEVELT

Rome, Tuesday, Jan. 7.—Pope Benedict, when informed of Mr. Roosevelt's death this morning by Cardinal Gasparri, expressed profound regret. The pontiff said that, as president, Mr. Roosevelt was most favorable to Catholics, one of his cabinet members being of that faith. He also recalled the visit of William H. Taft to the vatican during Mr. Roosevelt's administration for the purpose of negotiating the matters relative to the friars' lands in the Philippines.

ANOTHER WOULD PLANT TREES

Washington, Jan. 8.—Nation-wide planting of trees and the naming of a great national highway in honor of Theodore Roosevelt were suggested today as memorials to the former president by Charles Lathron Pack, president of the American Forestry association.

Colonel Roosevelt served for a number of years as vice president of the association, which is now urging the planting of memorial trees to soldiers and sailors who lost their lives in the war.

ALL NEW YORK STANDS STILL

New York, Jan. 8—Precisely at 1:59 p. m. and until 2 o'clock for one minute today virtually every phase of industry in Greater New York stopped, including the wires of The Associated Press.

The roar of subway, elevated and surface cars ceased and the hum of marts of trade was hushed.

MORE MESSAGES TO MRS. ROOSEVELT

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Jan. 8—(Roosevelt)—Hundreds of messages of condolence from all parts of the world continued to come to Mrs. Roosevelt at Oyster Bay today. Among these made public was one from David Lloyd George, the British premier, who abled he following from London:

"I am deeply shocked to have the news of your distinguished husband's death. I feel sure I speak for the British people when I tell you how much we all here sympathize with you in your great bereavement. Mr. Roosevelt was a great and inspiring figure far beyond his country's shores and the world is the poorer for his loss."

Queen Maud of Norway sent the following:

"Our deepest sympathy with you in your great trial."

Ronald Ferguson, governor-general of Australia, said:

"Deepest sympathy in your irreparable loss."

Senator Boise Penrose of Pennsylvania telegraphed:

"I cannot adequately express my sentiments on this occasion. The nation has suffered an irreparable loss. I extend my sincerest sympathy to you and your family."

NEWS HELD TILL SON READ LETTER

[By Associated Press.]

AMERICAN ARMY OF OCCUPATION, Tuesday, Jan. 7—News of the death of Colonel Roosevelt was withheld by a friend from Captain Kermit Roosevelt of the Seventh artillery, until the captain had been given an opportunity to read his father's latest letter. The friend was in Coblenz when the news was received at army headquarters there, and he delivered the letter before transmitting advices of the Colonel's death.

Lieutenant Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., is with the Twenty-sixth infantry, near Monte Baun.

Dr. Richard Derby, Colonel Roosevelt's son-in-law, is a surgeon attached to the headquarters of the Second division.

Word of the death of the Colonel was received over the wires of the American signal corps and was flashed immediately to all headquarters in the area of occupation.

FOR MONUMENT AT OYSTER BAY

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Jan. 8.—A movement to erect a monument here to commemorate the life and work of Theodore Roosevelt has been inaugurated by leading men of Oyster Bay and Nassau county. While at present it is planned to include only those who have been citizens of the town and county in which Colonel Roosevelt made his home, it was said that the movement might be extended to become nation-wide, if it seemed to meet with public approval.

THREE MORE FOR PROHIBITION

Chicago, Jan. 8—Three more states yesterday ratified the proposed prohibition amendment, making a total of 19 states that have indorsed the proposal of congress. The House of the Idaho legislature voted today for the measure, and if the Senate follows suit, the proposal will need to be passed by only 16 more states.

While the proposed amendment to the basic law was ratified yesterday by the legislatures of Ohio, Colorado and Oklahoma, representatives of the distillery companies of the country met in Chicago and decided to oppose both the amendment and the war prohibition law, which is to go into effect on July 1, by every legal means possible.

The states which have ratified the prohibition amendment thus far are:

Kentucky, Virginia, Mississippi, South Carolina, North Dakota, Maryland, Montana, Arizona, Delaware, Texas, South Dakota, Massachusetts, Georgia, Louisiana, Florida, Michigan, Ohio, Colorado and Oklahoma.

RAY OF HOPE

The distillers, who closed a two day convention at the Congress hotel, got a little ray of hope when it was discovered that cider cannot be manufactured if the prohibition amendment is ratified by the constitutional number of states required.

READY TO SPEND BILLION.

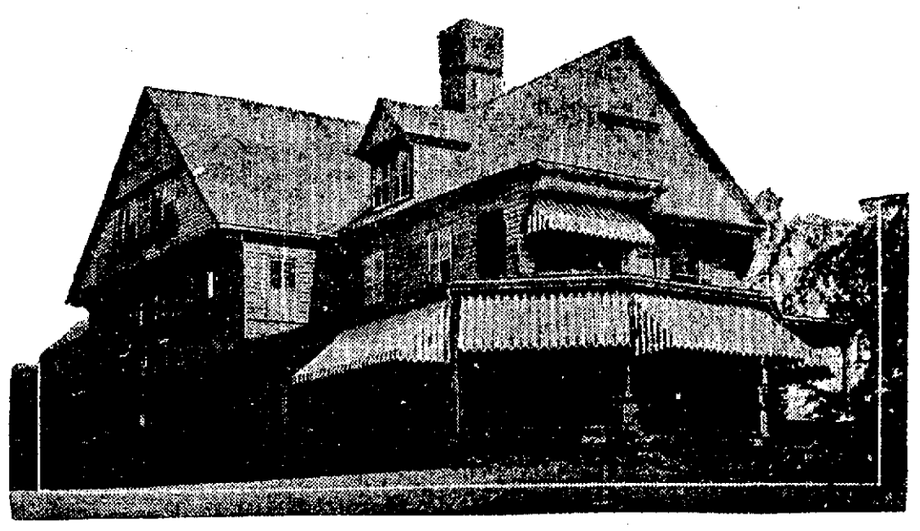
Throughout the convention, however, there seemed to be a general feeling that the prohibition amendment would receive the indorsement of the thirty-six states and that the fight will have to be carried on in the courts.

It is understood that their lawyers were told not to spare any expense. In orther words, the demon rum forces have decided to fight out in the open, and murmurings from the executive sessions indicate that they contemplate one of the biggest legal fights in the nation's history.

DIPLOMAT DIES OF INFLUENZA

Washington, Jan. 8—Count F. Minisealchi-Erizzo, charge of the Italian ambassy, died yesterday from pneumonia, which followed an attack of influenza. No arrangements for the funeral have been made.

WHERE ROOSEVELT DIED



This is the home at Oyster Bay where Theodore Roosevelt has received scientists, statesmen and politicians, where he has spent his leisure hours with his family and where he peacefully came to his death.

FOOD NEEDS OF EUROPE

Hoover Sends Summary of His Surveys in Europe.

Washington, Jan. 8.—At least 1,100,000 tons of foodstuffs, costing approximately $350,000,000 delivered, will be needed to carry through until the next harvest the populations of the districts thus far investigated by the American staff of the commission on European relief. This estimate was sent by Herbert Hoover yesterday to the food administration in a cablegram reviewing the conditions as found in central Europe and the Balkan states.

The surveys made by the American commission, Mr. Hoover said, disclose that meats, fats and milk are so short in many regions that the health of the people is very much impaired, mortality among children is appalling and there is a constant menace through the threatened spread of Bolshevism, especially in the cities.

The food conditions in the various districts in Europe were summarized by Mr. Hoover in his cablegram Jan. 7 as follows:

"Finland—The food is practically exhausted in the cities. While many of the peasants have some bread, other sections are mixing large amounts of straw. They are exhausted of fats, meats and sugar, and need help to prevent renewed rise of bolshevism.

"Baltic states—The food may last one or two months or a much reduced scale.

"Serbia—The town bread ration is down to three ounces daily in the north. In the south the British are furnishing food to the civil population.

"Jugo-Slavia—The bread ration in many towns is three or four ounces. All classes are short of fats, milk and meat.

"Vienna—Except for supplies furnished by the Italians and Swiss, their present bread ration of six ounces per diem would disappear. There is much illness from the shortage of fats. There are no coffee, sugar or eggs and practically no meat.

"Tyrol—The people are being fed by Swiss charity.

"Poland—The peasants probably have enough to get through. The mortality in cities, is appaling for lack of fats, milk, meat and bread.

"Rumania—The bread supplies for the entire people is estimated to last another thirty days. They are short of fats and milk. The last harvest was sixty per cent a failure.

"Bulgaria—The harvest was also a failure here. There are supplies available for probably two or three months.

"Armenia is already starving.

"Czecho-Slovakia—There is large suffering on account of lack of fats and milk. They have bread for two or three months and sugar for six months."

LEGISLATURE MEETS AT NOON

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 8—The full membership of both senate and house of the Fifty-first general assembly was on hand today for the session which convened at noon.

Backers of the federal prohibition amendment were maneuvering this morning to have it introduced today in the senate, which is expected to adjourn this afternoon. There was some question as to the form in which it should be presented.

The house will be in session tomorrow.

Governor Frank O. Lowden was ready to appear before a joint session at 2 o'clock this afternoon to deliver his bi-ennial message.

Proclamation On Roosevelt Issued By President Wilson

Washington, Jan. 8.—The following proclamation on the death of Theodore Roosevelt was cabled from Paris today by President Wilson and issued last night at the state department:

"Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States of America.

"A proclamation to the people of the United States.

"It becomes my sad duty to announce officially the death of Theodore Roosevelt, president of the United States from September 14, 1901, to March 4, 1909, which occurred at his home at Sagamore Hill, Oyster Bay, N. Y., at 4:15 o'clock on the morning of Jan. 6, 1919. In his death the United States has lost one of its most distinguished and patriotic citizens, who had endeared himself to the people by his strenuous devotion to their interests and to the public interests of his country.

SIGNAL POWERS.

"As president of the police board of his native city, as member of the legislature, and governor of his state, as civil service commissioner, as assistant secretary of the navy, as vice-president, and as president of the United States, he displayed administrative powers of a signal order and conducted the affairs of these offices with a concentration of effort and a watchful care which permitted no divergence from the line of duty he had definitely set for himself.

"In the war with Spain, he displayed singular initiative and energy and distinguished himself among the commanders of the army in the field. As president he awoke the nation to the dangers of private control which lurked in our financial and industrial systems. It was by thus arresting the attention and stimulating the purpose of the country that he opened the way for subsequent necessary and beneficient reforms.

"His private life was characterized by a simplicity, a virtue, and an affection worthy of all admiration and emulation by the people of America.

HONORS TO BE PAID.

"In testimony of the respect in which his memory is held by the government and people of the United States I do hereby direct that the flags of the White House and the several departmental buildings be displayed at half staff for a period of thirty days, and that suitable military and naval honors under orders of the secretaries of war and of the navy be rendered on the day of the funeral.

"Done this seventh day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and of the independence of the United States of America the one hundred and forty third.

"WOODROW WILSON,"
"By the President.
"Frank L. Polk, acting secretary of state."

AS WILSON'S REPRESENTATIVE

Washington, Jan. 8.—Vice President Marshal, acting as the personal representative of President Wilson and committees of the senate and house and representatives of the state, war and navy departments, left Washington last night for Oyster Bay, N. Y., to attend the funeral today of Theodore Roosevelt.

President Wilson at Paris sent a personal cablegram to Mr. Marshal asking that he attend the funeral as the president's representative.

AGAINST LAW.

Inquiries as to why government departments were not ordered closed during the funeral revealed that an act passed in 1893 forbids such marks of respect to former government officials. As far as possible, however, government activities will cease.

HOUSE ADJOURNS.

Washington, Jan 8.—Upon convening today the house recessed for two hours as a mark of respect to Colonel Roosevelt's memory. The supreme court did not meet.

All embassies and legations flew their national flags at half-staff throughout the day.

PRESIDENT'S TRIBUTE.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Jan. 8.—A large wreath of pink and white carnations was received from President Wilson.

HIGHER RATES FOR MATTOON

Springfield, Jan. 8.—An increase of 30 per cent for steam heating service was granted to the Central Illinois Public Service company of Mattoon, by the Public Utilities commission.

The new rates became effective on Jan. 1, 1919.

The petition further asks the elimination of heating hot water boilers in summer and makes a hot water tank charge ranging from $15 to $30 on tanks of 30 to 60 gallons.

Hundreds Killed In Berlin; Government Seems To Control

Trotzky Arrests Lenine

Copenhagen, Jan. 8.—Nikolai Lenine, the Bolshevikl premier of Russia, has been arrested at the command of Leon Trotzky, minister of war and marine, who has made himself dictator, according to a Moscow dispatch to the Gothenburg, (Sweden) Gazette.

Trotzky was prompted to make the arrest because of a difference of opinion with Lenine concerning Bolsheviki reforms, the dispatch states. Lenine desired to effect a coalition with the Menshevikl, or moderates, while Trotzky wished to continue the reign of red terror.

MASSING TO ATTACK

[By Associated Press.]

Berlin, Tuesday, Jan. 7—(8 a. m.)—The hosts of Dr. Karl Liebknecht, leader of the ultra-radical Spartacan group, engaged in an attempt to overthrow the Ebert government, were beginning to move at this hour toward the Siegesalle, where notices in Die Freiheit and the Red Flag had called upon them to assemble at 9 o'clock this morning.

The leading article in Die Freiheit called on the Spartacans to occupy strategic points in the city. On Monday evening they occupied the building of the general railway executives and also are holding the main telegraph office. Twenty of their men were permitted by government troops to enter the building of the ministry of war, "in order to make sure that there might be no further shooting from it."

The Spartacans and the Independent Socialists appear resolutely determined to continue their attempt to overthrow the government.

London, Jan. 8.—Several hundred persons have been killed in the fighting in Berlin, according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company, but up until two o'clock this morning no details of conditions there had been received. The government seems at least provisionally to be master of the situation.

MASS TROOPS.

Early Tuesday morning the Berlin government massed troops outside the city. These troops are ready to enter, it is said, in the dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company.

Field Marshal von Hindenburg is reported to have arrived at Berlin.

STREET FIGHTING.

Street fighting has been particularly sanguinary, it is said, owing to the fact that the Spartacus element has plenty of weapons taken from the munition factories at Spandau.

MOVIE MEN BUSY.

While the machine guns were firing and bombs were dropping moving picture operators were busily recording the scenes enacted in the streets.

It was announced recently that the American army had sent moving picture operators to Berlin.

WIRES DOWN.

The dislocation of the telegraph service has prevented anything more than meagre and scattered reports of what has been hapening in Berlin getting through, but all the dispatches agree that severe street fighting occurred Tuesday.

BEGINNING.

The first encounters between the government and the Spartacan forces occurred Sunday in front of the Kaiserhof hotel, when one person was killed and eight others wounded. According to an eye witness, some of the troops turned against the government and others refused to obey the government's orders to re-capture the quarters of the Wolff bureau, the semi-official news agency. On the other hand, a marine division is stated to be supporting the government.

SPARTACANS ATTACK.

The Spartacans refused all offers of the government to negotiate and were attacking the foreign office, the chancellor's palace and other of the ministeries on Monday when 18 persons are reported to have been killed.

The Spartacans, at the latest reports were holding the royal stables and the police headquarters, where Police Chief Eichhorn, over whose tenure of office the latest trouble arose, had gathered large quantities of arms, while other Spartacan supporters were supplied with arms and munition, which they captured when they seized the arsenal and munition depots at Spandau.

General Groener, who was recently dismissed by the government for alleged complicity in a royalist plot, is said to have offered to occupy the capital with forty reliable divisions.

ON GOVERNMENT SIDE.

Basil, Switzerland, Tuesday, Jan. 7.—The German semi-official Wolff bureau, which was removed to Frankfort when its Berlin office was seized by the Spartacans, sent out a message today declaring that the Berlin soldiers' and workmens' council and the garrison of the city had placed themselves on the side of the government.

The Frankfort General Anzeiger, on the other hand, declared that the Spartacans continued today to occupy some of the public buildings. They easily gained control of the railways, the newspaper ads, and the employes ceased to run the trains.

FLEW ACROSS THE CONTINENT

Mineola, N. J., Jan. 8—The first of four army airplanes making a transcontinental flight from San Diego arrived at Hazelhurst field here at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. It was in command of Maj. Albert D. Smith. The actual flying time for the entire distance was 52 hours.

To Lay Groundwork For Peace Conference

Informal Sessions Thursday — No Decision on Main Questions—No Differences Develop.

[By Associated Press.]

Paris, Tuesday, Jan. 7.—Informal conferences with Entente statesmen which will lay the real groundwork for the peace congress will begin on Thursday.

WILSON TO REST.

These conferences will probably be President Wilson's only official activity prior to the beginning of the peace congress, as it is necessary for him to get some rest after a fatiguing round of speeches and traveling. After the formal sessions begin, he will doubtless play a little golf, if the weather is good, but will deny himself to all callers and will cut out all other business to a minimum.

BIG ONES INDEFINITE.

As the conference approaches the stage where informal agreement which will have an important bearing on the final settlement will be reached there seems to be excellent authority for saying that plans for the settlement of the most important questions—the league of nations, the freedom of the seas and disarmament—are still very indefinite.

SUGGESTIONS AND STUDY.

It is true that several propositions are being put forward for the adjustment of these matters, but there is none having the color of official sanction.

If Mr. Wilson has drawn up any specific plans, he has not divulged them to anybody and it is known that he is closely studying various suggestions that are advanced by others. This is not necessarily to be construed as meaning that the president is without definite ideas on the subjects under consideration, but rather that he has been giving thought to the governing principles and keeping an open mind so as to benefit from ideas coming from all sources.

NO DIFFERENCES.

The best information obtainable as to conferences so far held with British and Italian statesmen is that they were very satisfactorily developing no differences as to principles involved. It has been noted that Mr Wilson in all his speeches has emphasized the fact that there is perfect agreement as to main points.

Those near the president have been eager to send to America some detailed statement of what has been accomplished since his coming to Europe, but it has been explained that negotiations at present are of such character that it would be unwise to discuss matters still in the formative stage.

Features Of The Plan

Paris, Jan. 7—The preliminary peace conference is likely to last three months, according to Marcel Hutin in the Echo De Paris.

"At the end of the second month, that is to say the beginning of March," he says, "after complete agreement between the great Entente powers, the treaty will be ready for submission to the enemy plenipotentiaries for their signatures. Representatives of all the enemy countries will be invited to come to Paris to learn the allied conditions and will have a reasonable time, about one month, in which to refer it to their Governments.

"The preliminary treaty will contain, first a clause by which the Entente accepts a league of nations; second, the amount of indemnity payable by Germany and the methods of payment, and, third, a definition of the new frontiers.

"These are the principal chapters. The preliminary discussions promise to be intricate and it would not be astonishing if the deliberations are long because they will deal with the entire map of Europe and will evolve the clauses of a definite peace treaty."

MANY GIFTS TO THE PRESIDENT

Milan, Sunday, Jan. 5—During his visit to Milan, President Wilson received many gifts. One was a statuette made of captured Austrian cannon representing Italy conquering the Austrian black eagle. Another was an illuminated volume presented by Gianni Caproni, the airplane manufacturer, describing the president as a "white eagle, the conqueror of all". The volume was dedicated to a giant airplane which Caproni is building for a trans-Atlantic flight.

The Weather



Chicago, Jan. 8.—Following are the weather indications for Illinois for thirty-six hours, ending at 7 p. m., Thursday.

Fair Wednesday and Thursday; warmer Thursday.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. H. Counradt, United States weather observer:

7 p. m. Tuesday	35
7 a. m. Wednesday	11
Noon Wednesday	22
Highest Tuesday	37
Lowest Wednesday	9
Sun rises (Standard time)	7:10
Sun sets	4:47

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LETTER TELLS DEATH OF SON

Chaplain Writes to Theodore Bruns.

Pana, Jan. 8.—Theodore Bruns, of east of the city, got word of the death of his son, Private Herman T. Bruns, in a letter from Chaplain A. W. Moulton, thirteenth general hospital forces in France. He died of shrapnel wounds.

The letter follows:

Nov. 23, 1918.

My Dear Mr. Bruns—It is my duty to write to you today about the death of your dear boy, Herman.

I laid him to rest this morning with beautiful services at which both English and American soldiers were present and paid him full military honors. On his casket rested a bouquet of beautiful flowers which were given by the Red Cross. He died very peacefully and without any pain or suffering at the last of it.

As I have written to you, I thought that he would gradually recover. Each day that I saw him I could see improvement. He was always cheerful and sweet in his illness and all the complaint he ever made was about his stomach. He did not complain much about that either. He was a fine lad and I loved him very much.

Every day, two or three times, it has been my custom to go to his bedside and talk with him and cheer him up. I do not think I have missed a day during his stay here. His last days I was with him much of the time, although I did not know that he was going to die until the last morning. I was at his bedside during the last few minutes and had devotions with him, as indeed I did frequently. Last Sunday I gave him Holy Communion.

Herman died on the 21st at 1.30 p m. He is buried in the British cemetery at Terlincthum, near Boulogne. It is a beautiful spot, overlooking the sea and is going to be well cared for and greatly beautified. He lies in a plot reserved for American soldiers and over his grave stands a cross upon which his name is written

I know how greatly his family will miss him. He thought of you and spoke of you so lovingly and of you all. But we must not think of him as lost but only as having marched on to his perfect reward

Some day we shall see him once more in the Homeland where there can be no parting. Surely a good man like Herman, who has made the greatest sacrifice and given everything cannot be forgotten by the All Wise and Loving Father. If you desire to write to me I shall be most glad to hear from you but I would suggest your writing to my home address which is Lawrence, Mass. I hope to sail home in January.

It has been my privilege, my dear sir, to serve your boy and may God bless you all.

Yours Faithfully,
ARTHUR W. MOULTON,
Chaplain.

OTHER PANA NEWS.

The funeral of Mrs. Hazel Donaldson, who died on Saturday was conducted at the home in Oconee on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Williams officiating. Deceased is survived by her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Young of Oconee and her husband and small son, three years old. Burial was made at the Oconee cemetery

The funeral services of Buelah, the fourteen year old daughter of Matthew McFarland, who died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Graves, in Carlinville, will be held at the Baptists church in this city on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Burial will be made at Mound cemetery.

The Willing Workers of St. John's Evangelical church met Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the hall. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Rudolph Schwietzka. The following program was given and enjoyable afternoon spent: Instrumental, Mrs. William Gundell; reading, Mrs. R. Schwietzka; instrumental, Mrs. Gundell; reading, Mrs. A. C. McDonald, entertainment, Rev. A .W. Fruechte.

Will Babcock of Taylorville spent Monday and Tuesday with his parents in Pana.

Lemuel Parsons, a prominent resident of Rosemond for fifty years, died at his home at 6:20 a. m., Tuesday of senility. Deceased was born Dec. 25, 1823 at Hinsdale, Mass., being ninety-three years, one month and one day of age at death. He was first married on Sept. 1, 1857 to Ella Moxsley at New London, Conn. She died about forty years ago. He was again married Sept. 1, 1881, at Springfield, Ill., to Miss Jone Maxon. He is survived by the following children: Mrs. John H. Glotfelter of Emporia, Kansas; Mrs. William P. Marley, Kansas City, Mo.; Mrs. Elza C. Cawins, Charleston; Mrs. Herbert Wilcox, Anthony, Kansas. Funeral will be from the home at Rosemond on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Burial will be made at the Rosemond cemetery with Rev. Jeanette O. Ferris, officiating.

Ex-Police Joseph Rayhill was injured while at work on Monday at the North mine. His left leg was badly broken and bruised.

Mrs. Sadie Peters has received a letter from her son John Peters stating that he is still in a base hospital in France, being ill with a fever. He has been in the hospital since Oct. 1.

Quite a number of farmers are bringing in their corn to the local elevators. Dealers are paying them $1.30 a bushel for good corn.

Mrs. Clifford Waddington has returned to Tuscola after a visit here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Walter Pryce are new influenza patients.

Miss Loretta Sheean, second grade teacher at West school has fully recovered from influenza.

Mrs. D. J. Miller and children are recovering from pneumonia.

George W. Root of the Travelers (St. Louis) spent Tuesday in Pana with friends.

DELAYS WORK ON HIGHWAYS

Effingham, Jan. 8.—It is said that Cumberland county is holding up the registering of the National Old Trails route through Illinois for the proposed pavement to be constructed along this route. At least, so Clifford Older, chief highway engineer of the state writes local authorities. The engineer must have the entire route of the highway for it is to be registered and in case the entire route across the state is not in the state's hands it will delay the preliminary work to a marked degree.

NIANTIC.

Corporal Arthur Coonor has returned to Laredo, Tex., after spending a furlough with his parents here.

Mrs. L. E. Kitch has returned home from Dalton City, Her daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Foley there has been ill with pneumonia, but is better.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hall are visiting relatives at Lexington, Ky.

Corporal Ernest Loftus, who spent a ten day furlough with his father and relatives returned to Camp Gordan, Ga.,

Sergeant Edward A. Henebry has returned to Camp Devens, after spending a ten day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Henebry and family.

Corporal Jesse Roy Tippitt, is at home having been discharged last week.

Cooper Knisley is at home having arrived from overseas last week.

Miss L. A. Harkins gave an address at the Red Cross room here, Friday in regard to the Red Cross work.

Miss Audrey Yeck has returned home to Tower Hill after visiting Misses Nellie and Eva Moore.

George Phelon is at home having been discharged from Camp Grant last week.

Miss Jennie Mooney left last week to spend the winter at San Diego, Cal.

Miss Josephine Connaghan of Decatur visited relatives here Sunday.

James Hawk is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Booker and family of Springfield visited Mrs. Booker's parents here this week.

Mrs. Frank Hess, is ill of influenza.

Mrs. John Lindsey is very ill of bronchitis.

Frank Bierbuse is at home, having been discharged at Camp Grant.

Mrs. Richard Trinnier has returned home from Chicago after visiting her sister and family there.

TOWER HILL SITUATION BAD

Only Physician is Now Ill in Bed.

Shelbyville, Jan. 7—With the only doctor in the village confined to his bed with the disease and from 30 to 35 cases in the community, the influenza situation at Tower Hill is grave and a strict quarantine that will close the schools, churches and other public places is imminent.

One of Tower Hill's physicians, Dr. F. A. Martin, is and for a year has been in the medical service of the United States army. The other physician, Dr. Homer S. Corley, upon whose shoulders the burden of caring for the many cases of influenza and other diseases has fallen, has now been stricken.

In one family alone six cases of the influenza are reported. In another, the family of W. L. Johns, editor of the Tower Hill Breeze, there are four cases. Mrs. Johns and two of her children were first stricken, and when a married daughter war summoned from Coffeen to help care for the patients, she also fell a victim to the malady. A: other daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johns is ill with typhoid fever in Shelbyville, and was taken to the hospital Monday.

A meeting of the Tower Hill school board was called Monday afternoon by its president, Mrs. Dwight Eller, to consider the situation.

NEWS OF SOLDIERS.

Sergeant Major Veri Shutt, who has been enjoying a few days' furlough with his parents, R. P. Shutt and wife of Clarksburg, returned Sunday to Camp Taylor, Ky., where he has been in service since his induction several months ago.

Sergeant Amace Earl Smith, who was one of the Shelby county contingent leaving here Feb. 23, many of whom are in the 30th division, which has just been designated for early return to the states and demobilization, has received his honorable discharge and is at his home here. He comes from Camp Sevier, S. C., where he has been for months with the medical corps.

Other members of the contingent who crossed the seas and served in France, include Warren C. Bivins, Gay Blackstone and Clyde Briggs while there are about thirty-five Shelby county boys, all told, in the 30th division.

DIED AT CAIRO.

Relatives here have been notified that Mrs. Henry H. Campbell, a former resident of this city, had died on Sunday at Cairo, and that the body would be brought to this city for burial. Before her marriage to Mr. Campbell, who is a half brother of James L. Campbell of this city, she was Miss Jo Jackson. After leaving Shelbyville some fifteen years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell lived in Decatur, and later in Cairo.

LIQUOR CHARGE.

Deputy United States Marshal F. C. Doehring was here from Danville over Sunday, and on Monday took Fred Pierce, the North Morgan street barber to East St. Louis under a federal charge of selling intoxicating liquor without a license. When he left Shelbyville, Pierce expected to give bond in the federal court for his appearance later for trial. His hearing probably will be held in March.

HOME SOON.

Corporal Danny Sullivan, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sullivan of this place, has arrived in Hoboken and expects soon to be at home. He came overseas with a contingent of wounded soldiers, arriving at Hoboken Saturday. Sullivan was wounded in the side by a hand grenade, when attacked by Germans as he was on duty at a listening post in "No Man's Land" some time before the close of hostilities, and until his embarkation for America was in a hospital.

FIFTY FOUR STARS.

The service at the Christian church Sunday night was held in honor of the soldier boys from this congregation. The meeting was largely attended. The pictures of the fifty-four boys in service were mounted in two large frames, and one placed at each side of the door. Fourteen stars also were added to the service flag. Of the fifty-four who were called to the colors, thirty-two are now overseas, one in Italy, eight have had an honorable discharge and fourteen are in the camps at home.

MRS. BIVINS BETTER.

Mrs. Mattie Shuck, the nurse who has been attending the William Bivins family through their prolonged siege of the influenza, reports that Mrs. Bivins is now able to be up about the house, the son, Ralph, is greatly improved, and Mr. Bivins is able to be out and attend to the light work about the place. Two members of the family, Frank and Cora, died, and for some time there was small hope for the lives of Mrs. Bivins and Ralph.

BIRTHS OF YEAR.

Registrar Harry L. Baillie of this city reports that during the year 1918 he recorded 77 births, seven stillbirths and 80 deaths, from reports of physicians and undertakers submitted to him in accordance with the law.

TWO AT CISCO DIE OF PNEUMONIA

Cisco, Jan. 7.—Orpha O. Albert died at her home three miles south of Cisco at 2:15 o'clock Sunday morning of pneumonia, following influenza.

She was born at Cerro Gordo and was 10 years old. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Albert.

Short funeral services were conducted at the home at 9:30 Monday a. m. Rev. H. F. Powell officiating. Burial was at Monticello. One brother is now ill with pneumonia.

Katherine Grace only child of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell, died at her home northeast of here at 8 o'clock Monday morning of pneumonia following the measles. She was about two years old. The funeral was held at the home Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. conducted by Rev. H. F. Powell and the burial was in Weldon cemetery.

J. P. Loveless has resigned his position as principal of the school here and has accepted a position in the W. H. Jones hardware and furniture store. Charles Musgrove of Monticello has been employed to fill the vacancy in the school.

J. F. Newman and family have returned from a visit with Mrs. Newman's parents at Litchfield.

W. S. Armsworth was in Bloomington one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Loveless of Fisher are here visiting their son J. P. Loveless and family.

Mrs. Alma Ramey, who had pneumonia following influenza, is slowly improving.

H. E. Graves of Argenta visited his parents here last Thursday.

Why Meat Prices Vary in Different Stores

Prime steers	$19.90@20.35
Good to choice steers	17.00@18.35
Common to medium steers	10.75@16.75
Yearlings, fair to fancy	16.00@19.90
Fat cows and heifers	8.35@15.35
Canning cows and heifers	7.25@ 8.25
Bulls, plain to best	6.50@12.50
Poor to fancy calves	6.75@15.75
Western range steers	10.00@18.00

These newspaper quotations represent live cattle prices in Chicago on December 30th, 1918.

The list shows price ranges on nine general classified groups with a spread of $13.85 per cwt.—the lowest at $6.50, and the highest at $20.35.

Why this variation in price?

Because the meat from different animals varies greatly in quality and weight.

Although the quotations shown are in nine divisions, **Swift & Company grades cattle into 34 general classes,** and each class into a variety of weights and qualities.

As a result of these differences in cattle prices, (due to differences in weights and meat qualities), there is a range of 15 cents in Swift & Company's selling prices of beef carcasses.

These facts explain:

1—Why retail prices vary in different stores.

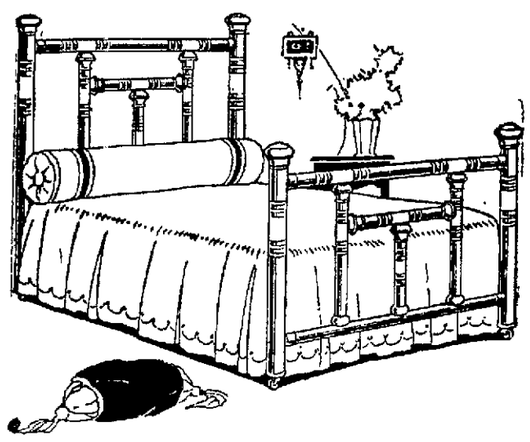
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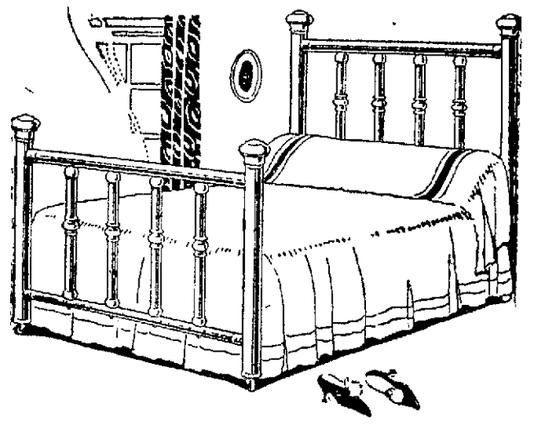
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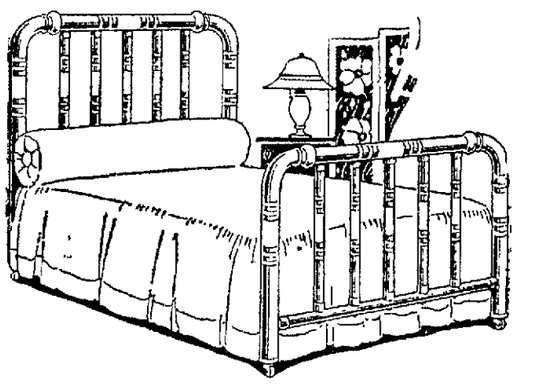
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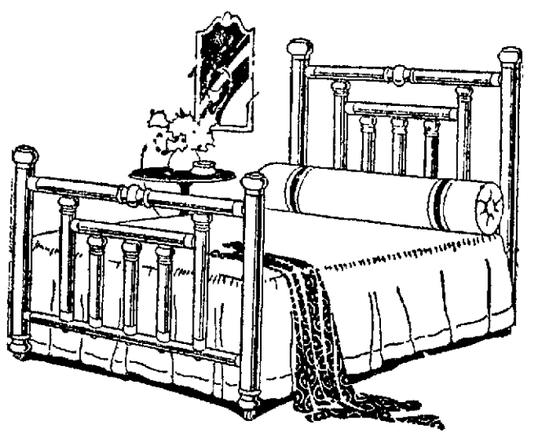
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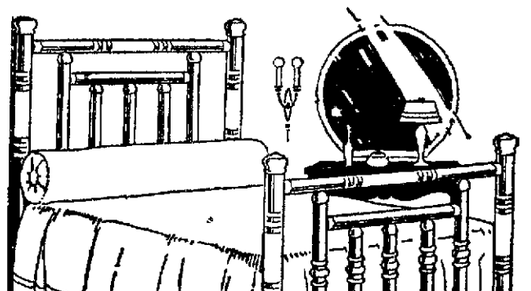
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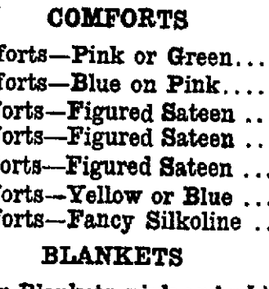
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$53.50 Brass Bed, 4-6 size, satin band finish	$40.13
$56.50 Brass Bed, 4-6 size, satin band finish	$42.38
$62.00 Brass Bed, 4-6 size, satin finish	$46.60
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$2.25 Comforts—Blue on Pink	$2.03
$2.75 Comforts—Figured Sateen	$2.48
$3.00 Comforts—Figured Sateen	$2.70
$3.50 Comforts—Figured Sateen	$3.15
$4.50 Comforts—Yellow or Blue	$4.05
$5.50 Comforts—Fancy Silkoline	$4.95

BLANKETS

$2.45 Cotton Blankets, pink and white	$2.10
$7.25 Wool Mixed Blankets, brown plaid	$6.53
$9.50 All-wool Blankets, pink plaid	$8.55
$12.50 All-wool Blankets, grey plaid	$11.25
$15.00 All-wool Blankets, white and blue	$13.50

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When your child suffers from a cold don't wait; give the little stomach, liver and bowels a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When cross, peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged-up, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

If your child coughs, snuffles and has caught cold or is feverish or has a sore throat give a good dose of "California Syrup of Figs" to evacuate the bowels no difference what other treatment is given.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

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"About two or three weeks ago I saw your famous Dr. Jones' Liniment advertised. I bought two or three bottles and found it as recommended, 'A Great Killer of Pain.' I was troubled a great deal with neuralgia and Dr. Jones' Liniment gave me more relief than anything I have ever tried."

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Put a stop to them with old reliable Dr. King's New Discovery

That raw, hoarse throat must be soothed. That phlegm-loaded chest must be loosened. That cough must be checked so you can sleep.

Dr. King's New Discovery has been relieving colds, and coughs for half a century without the least disagreeable after-effects.

Your druggist has it because it is well-known and in big demand. 60c and $1.20.

Try this for Constipation

Keep the bowels on schedule time with Dr. King's New Life Pills, the system freed from poisonous wastes, the complexion clear, the stomach sweet, the tongue uncoated, the breath untainted. Mild yet positive. 25c.

ACTRESS TELLS SECRET

A Well Known Actress Tells How to Darken Gray Hair With a Simple Home Made Mixture.

Joicey Williams, the well known American actress, who was recently playing at the Imperial Theatre in St. Louis, Mo., made the following statement about gray hair and how to darken it:

"Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home, at very little cost, that will darken gray streaked or faded hair, and make it soft and glossy. To a half pint of water add 1 ounce of bay rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and 1-4 ounce of glycerine. These ingredients can be bought at any drug store at very little cost, or any druggist can put it up for you. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. This will make a gray haired person look 20 years younger. This is not a dye, it does not color the most delicate scalp, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off.

WABASH BRAKEMAN ENDS OWN LIFE

C. E. Jones of Bethany Shoots Self.

WORRIED OVER DEATH

Fellow Workman, Killed Some Time Ago.

Decatur friends of C. E. Jones, brakeman on the Wabash for the past eighteen years, were greatly shocked to hear of his suicide at Springfield at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Jones was a son of Sim Jones of Bethany, but he had worked for the Wabash in and out of Decatur for a long time and was widely known among the railroaders.

That he brooded and worried over the death of a fellow worker who was killed about two months ago by the train on which both worked, was the only theory advanced in an effort to determine the motive for which Jones took his life. He sent a bullet through his head in Fishman's pawn shop, 124 North Fifth street. The Springfield Register says:

IN PAWN SHOP.

Jones walked into Fishman's place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. "Do you know the coroner?" he asked Fishman.

"Yes," was the reply.

"Then call him at once," Jones said and flashed a 38-calibre revolver from his pocket sending a bullet through his temple. Death was immediate.

Jones was a close friend of Ross Fritz, brakeman on the Wabash who was killed two months ago at Tenth street and South Grand avenue while he was making a coupling. Fritz and Jones were employed on the same train. Jones was called to testify at the coroner's inquisition into the death of Fritz and his actions evidence great grief because of the loss of his "pal."

It is not thought that he was in any way to blame for Fritz's death.

FATHER IN BETHANY.

Jones has no relatives in Springfield. His father, Sim Jones, at Bethany, Ill., was notified of his son's death.

Jones has been employed as a brakeman by the Wabash railroad for eighteen years. He lived in Springfield at the residence of M. J. Motzeck, 1202 East Reynolds street.

Mrs. Mitzeck stated yesterday that Jones has not appeared out of spirits but that he did take it hard at the time his partner was killed. She said that Jones did not come home Monday night.

HAD NO DIFFICULTIES.

When searched Jones had a full box of 38-calibre cartridges with the exception of six he had in his revolver in his pocket. The cartridges had not been purchased from Fishman's pawn shop. His reason for going to Fishman's place to kill himself is not known.

He had a bank book of the First Trust and Savings Bank in his pocket, dated 1913. At that time it was shown that he made deposits in the bank of $30 to $40 a month.

ALL CASUALTY LISTS RECEIVED

Washington, Jan. 8—Complete lists of casualties among the American expeditionary forces have been sent to Washington, and one thousand additional clerks have been put to work in the adjutant general's office to get them out as speedily as possible.

SOCIALISTS' CASE GOES TO THE JURY

Chicago, Jan. 8.—The case of Congressman-elect Victor L. Berger of Milwaukee and four other prominent Socialists charged with conspiracy to violate the espionage law, which had been on trial before Judge Landis since Dec. 3, was given to the jury at 11 o'clock today.

OPEN CAMPAIGN FOR A MILLION

Millikin Board of Managers Decides to Go After Fund.

At a meeting of the board of managers at Millikin University held in the office of A. H. Mills, president of the board, Tuesday afternoon, it was decided that an aggressive campaign should be started at once to raise the $400,000 to be added to the endowment fund of the university in response to the offer of the trustees of the Millikin estate to give $600,000 for the same purpose, thus making a round $1,000,000 to be added to the resources of the institution.

The outbreak of the war compelled the abandonment of the plan to raise this fund when the offer of the trustees was made a short time ago but the members of the board feel that the time has now come when this campaign should be vigorously prosecuted so that the university can in this way come into an even greater sphere of usefulness than it has in the past.

PROSPEROUS YEAR AT THE LEADER

William Canavan Elected Vice President.

"One of our most prosperous years in the history of the Leader Iron Works," was the word passed out at the annual meeting of the stockholders of that concern held Wednesday morning at the factory in Decatur. Every indication points to another good year ahead. Officers were elected as follows:

President and general manager—T. E. O'Brien.

Vice president—William Canavan.

Vice president—W. P. Stauder, of New York City.

Secretary-treasurer—A. G. O'Neill.

Directors—T.E. O'Brien, L. W. Cook W. P. Stauder, William Canavan and C. B. Irish.

One of the vice presidencies is a newly created office and William Canavan was elected to it. Mr. Canavan is head of the production department at the Leader.

The Leader Iron Works is still working on some contracts for the emergency fleet and will continue to work on them for a long time to come.

I. T. S. SWITCHMAN BADLY CRUSHED

Thomas Wells, Formerly of Decatur, Victim.

Thomas Wells, I. T. S. Switchman formerly of Decatur, was seriously crushed and bruised between two cars in front of the Inman hotel in Champaign while making a coupling at 5:35 o'clock Tuesday morning. He was taken to the Burnham hospital and examination showed that no bones were broken but he was badly crushed. It is not thought that his injuries will result fatally.

Wells moved to Champaign from Decatur about six months ago. He has a wife and several children.

CUTTING ICE AT FISHING CLUB

Crust on Lake is 8 Inches Thick.

The Decatur Fishing club began harvesting ice from the lake Wednesday. The ice is eight inches thick on the lake and of finer quality than for several years. It is the intention to fill the ice house, which holds about 220 tons.

SKATING GOOD

Skating is on in full force at Dream land, Fairview, and Nelson Parks. The best skating in the parks is on the pond at Nelson but the other places are all occupied by the children and kept busy at all times.

STOMACH UPSET?

Get at the Real Cause—Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

That's what thousands of stomach sufferers are doing now. Instead of taking tonics, or trying to patch up a poor digestion, they are attacking the *real* cause of the ailment—clogged liver and disordered bowels.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets arouse the liver in a soothing, healing way. When the liver and bowels are performing their natural functions, away goes indigestion and stomach troubles.

If you have a bad taste in your mouth, tongue coated, appetite poor, lazy, don't-care feeling, no ambition or energy, troubled with undigested foods, you should take Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their olive color. They do the work without griping, cramps or pain.

Take one or two at bedtime for quick relief, so you can eat what you like. At 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.



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STAGE ALL SET; BUT NO BURGLAR

Police Department Surrounded House.

LIGHT AS A SIGNAL

Burned Out Fuse Responsible for Scare.

The tables were all set for the capture of a burglar Tuesday night, and the only thing lacking was the burglar. Sunday evening while Dr. E. E. Flannery and family were away their home at 219 North Haworth avenue was entered by a burglar who ransacked the house from bottom to top and had the silverware and other valuables laid out ready to carry off when the family returned. They frightened him away when they entered the drive.

LEFT LIGHT BURNING.

As they were to be absent again Tuesday night, they planned with the neighbors to catch Mr. Burglar. They left a light burning that would interfere with the work of any one bent on robbing the house and they knew if he entered he would turn off that light. In case the light was turned off the neighbors were to notify the police. The family had been gone but a few hours when the neighbors discovered that the light was out. The police were promptly notified and a patrol wagon load of officers hurried out and surrounded the house. A thorough search was made, but not a thing had been disturbed and there was no sign of an intruder. Then it was discovered that a fuse had burned out, causing the light to be extinguished.

But the feasibility of the plan was thoroughly demonstrated and any family who anticipates a call from a burglar is welcome to try it. It is not copyrighted.

SIX LOADS OF YANKS ON WAY

Newport News, Va., Jan. 8.—The battleships Georgia and Kansas bringing 2,650 troops home from France, arrived here today.

The battleship Georgia brought home the Sixth trench mortar battalion and the 311th trench mortar battery, comprising nearly 1,000 men, including 300 sick and wounded.

Aboard the Kansas were the Seventh trench mortar battalion, Third anti-aircraft sector, and casual companies 320, 323 and 324, in all about 1,400 men.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The transport President Grant, the battleships Montana and South Dakota and the hospital ship Comfort have sailed from France for New York with 284 officers and 7,419 men.

The President Grant is due Jan. 16, with the Second field artillery, 81st field artillery, 83rd field artillery, headquarters detachment Eighth field artillery brigade, company H, 347th infantry, 113th trench mortar battery, 69 casual officers and about 250 sick and wounded. Most of these are regular army units, with the exception of company H, 347th infantry, which is assigned to Camp Dix, and the 113th trench mortar battery, which is 79 per cent Kentucky national guard.

The battleship Montana, due Jan. 17, has on board the Third and Fourth trench mortar battalions, complete, and a detail of 17 officers of the 56th coast artillery regiment less battery F, and the 474th aero squadron.

SICK AND WOUNDED

The Comfort, due Jan. 20, in addition to naval personnel, has on board seven officers and 3 men of the army as sick and wounded. The Third trench mortar battalion is to be divided between Forts Crockett and Logan and Camps Grant and Pike. About 20 per cent of the Fourth trench mortar battalion will go to Camp McArthur, the balance scattering. Of the 56th coast artillery regiment, seven officers and 800 men are bound for Fort Terry, the rest being scattered among various posts.

DESTROYERS COME.

Boston, Jan. 8.—Four more destroyers returning from overseas service were welcomed here today. The Stringham, Sigourney and Bell were the first to arrive, and they were soon followed by the Kimberly. Two other destroyers were expected later in the day.

Jiffy-Jell
Sugar-Saving Desserts



Jiffy-Jell makes instant desserts which are rich and fruity.

It comes ready-sweetened.

The fruit-made flavors come in liquid form, in vials. So they keep their fresh-fruit taste.

One package serves six people in mold form, or 12 if you whip the jell. So these luscious desserts are also economical.

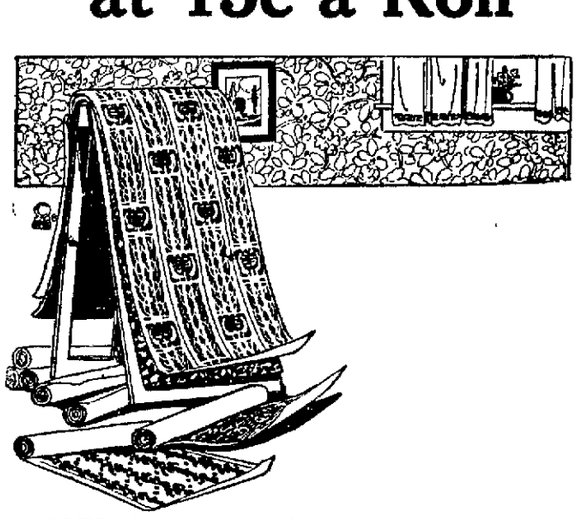
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High Grade Wall Papers
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FOLKS who are contemplating spring paper hanging will find in this sale an admirable opportunity to secure many of the very finest grades of wall paper at a price almost unbelievably low.

In this clearance event, we offer you choice of our entire stock of 85c, 65c, 50c and 35c papers, in patterns suitable for living rooms, bedrooms, dining rooms, etc.

There's an excellent variety, and the savings are so wonderful that it will pay you to buy paper now in anticipation of future needs.

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15c a Roll

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Every Garment Repriced in This
Suit and Dress Clearance



WHILE, quite naturally, many of these Suits and Dresses have already found new owners since this sale opened on last Friday morning, there are many women in Decatur who can come here now and select garments to please them, in a size to fit.

Nothing is reserved—every tailored Suit, and every street Dress, both silk and wool, is included in this final disposal, and the savings are so pronounced that it is a matter of wise and far-seeing economy to purchase now.

Here is the Table of Reductions:

Suits and Dresses formerly selling up to and including $25.00—now **$12.48**

Suits and Dresses formerly selling up to and including $50.00—now **$23.48**

Suits and Dresses formerly selling from $55.00 to $135.00—now **$33.48**

—Second Floor, North.

Tomorrow Brings New Attractions in The
January Sale of Furs



JUST when the spirited selling of the past three days is beginning to have its inevitable effect on the completeness of varieties, along comes another belated shipment of furs to add zest to this already interesting event.

Save a Third on These Fresh, New Arrivals

Stocks, augmented by these new arrivals, now present palpably freshened varieties, from which you may choose furs which embody the season's later fashion thoughts, and still save a third in the purchasing of them.

Coats, Coatees, Sets, Muffs, Scarfs, and Children's Furs, all styled from the most wanted peltries, are represented in this special event, and prices have been reduced just ONE-THIRD.

—Second Floor, North.

Ready for Southland Tourists—New Comers in
Smart Satin and Straw Hats



QUITE the last word in millinery designing are these new satin and straw combinations, and all satin hats which have just come in.

They're particularly desirable for women who are planning southern trips for the rest of the winter, and was chiefly to meet the requirements of these women that these smart hats were designed.

Here in a wide variety of the season's choicest shapes and colorings.

$5 - $10 - $15



Clearance Specials

Three Interesting Groups

One group of chic fur and satin combinations, in latest effects, priced to close at one-third from regular figures.

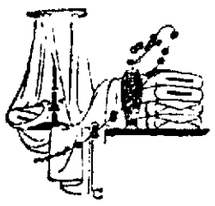
Two groups of dress hats in several very attractive styles. Priced to close at just one-half the regular figures.

—Second Floor, Center.

Supplementing the Offerings of the Linen Sale—
Special White Goods Values

Hope Muslin; 36 inches wide; soft finish; a good, standard, all-purpose fabric, with which every woman is familiar. Extra special value at

23c A Yard



Pillow Tubing; best grade, in all widths — 36, 40, 42, 45, and 50-inch. Extra special a yard **45c**

Bleached Sheeting, 2¼ yards wide; Pepperel, Pullman, and Aurora brands; standard quality, yard **62½c**

Turkish wash cloths; all white, or white with red or blue borders; size 11x11 inches; regular 8c cloths offered specially at your choice for 5c.

Bed spreads; scalloped; cut corners; size 81x90 inches; the regular $3.75 quality at $2.98.

Bleached gauze; 36 inches wide; suitable for bandages or dust cloths; the 10c quality at, yard 7c

Bleached crash; fine linen finish; 18 inches wide; fast selvedge; red or blue borders; 25c value at 18c.

Table padding; "Silence Cloth;" 54 inches wide; good quality, specially priced now at, a yard, $1.25.

—Main Floor, First Aisle.

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SAM POWERS AT PEACE CONFERENCE

Decatur Officer Now Located at Paris.

ON HOUSE'S STAFF

Taken Because of Knowledge of Germany.

WORD has just been received in Decatur to the effect that Captain Samuel Powers, son of George W. Powers, formerly of Decatur, is a member of the United States Peace mission to Europe. Captain Powers has been assigned to the personal staff of Colonel House, adviser to President Wilson, and he is now in Paris in that capacity.

Captain Powers is well known in Decatur. He grew up in this city and attended the James Millikin university. He was captain of the Millikin football team one season. Later he was sent to Germany by the International Harvester company as special representative at Konigsburg. He was located there when the Russian army came across the German border like a flood, spreading death and destruction everywhere. He made his way back to this country and has since been engaged in business in Chicago and Des Moines, Ia.

Captain Powers was taken to France largely for his knowledge of conditions in Germany.

T. P. A. AUXILIARY MONTHLY PARTY

The Woman's Auxiliary to the T. P. A. will have its regular monthly party Thursday afternoon. The committee in charge consists of Mrs. J. E. Strobel, Mrs. O. L. Cross, Mrs. C. H. Temple, Mrs. A. O. Allard, Mrs. B. Hoffman and Mrs. H. Robb

GIVES INTERESTING TALK ON CHINA

Sea Fong Lee Addresses Woman's Club.

THE study of "China" which Psalemas division of the Woman's club had at its meeting Tuesday night, proved one of the most enjoyable and instructive the division has had for a long time. The meeting was in charge of Miss Alta Dawson and Miss Emma Condell. Miss Dawson told about the old Chinese empire and Miss Condell showed a number of curols from China.

The feature of the evening was the talk by Sea Fong Lee, the Chinese student at the university. He spoke along the line of "The Relationship Between the Government of China and that of the United States," and he assured the women that that relationship was a very pleasant one indeed because John Hay had made China understand the friendliness of the United States some years ago and that it had continued to the present time.

He also said that China had declared war against Germany but because of her own internal troubles, civil war being carried on between the north and the south, she had been unable to help in the world war.

The club members asked Mr. Lee many questions which he answered. He said that the Chinese empire was made up of five different peoples, and the Chinese flag had five stripes, red, yellow, blue, white, and black, one for each of these peoples. He wanted his hearers to understand that the Chinese people usually seen in America are not really representative of the Chinese. For some years past China has been sending out to different countries students to study different important subjects.

The club members were very much interested in the talk made by Mr. Lee.

THE little letters written by the little girls of the Park Ridge home near Chicago in appreciation of the Christmas gifts sent them by the members of Art and Literature division of the Woman's club were extremely interesting to the club members as they were read at the meeting Tuesday afternoon. The little girls told how the toys had been apportioned out, and how the youngest one in the home had received a baby doll. The letters were read by Mrs. G. E. States, who had charge of sending away the box of gifts to the children before Christmas. This home is for dependent girls.

Mrs. P. B. Sullivan was the leader for the afternoon. Two papers were given, Mrs. J. W. Fritz having for her subject, "Scenic Beauty of the United States—Mountains, Rivers, Falls, Lakes," and Mrs. D. D. Hill, "Natural Parks, Forest Reserves"

PI BETA PHI GIRLS AT HAMMAN'S

THE work at Little Pigeon, the school for mountain whites supported by the national Pi Phi sorority, was told about at the meeting of the Pi Phi alumnae Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Irene Hamman, and the girls were much interested in the account of the work they are helping to support. The talk was given by Mrs. Myers, from Wisconsin Alpha, who is a teacher in the school. Mrs. Myers is now visiting friends in Decatur.

The event last night was in the nature of a "cookie shine," and the girls also had an auction sale of garments, the proceeds of which will be placed in their house building fund.

Miss Florence Brown returned Tuesday after spending the holidays at her home in Quincy, and has resumed her work at the Millikin Conservatory. Miss Ruth Brown returned last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Wood are expected in Decatur the latter part of the week from Newark, N. J., where they have lived for more than a year. During the time Mr. Wood was connected with the shipbuilding business there.

The Sans Souci club meeting which was to have been held today with Mrs C. M. Jack has been postponed for a week owing to the death of Mrs. Trieg, mother of Mrs. J. R. Holt, president of the club.

Mrs Dorothy Rose, who has been very ill with pneumonia, was able to sit up for the first time today since her illness. She is getting along nicely, as are also all the other members of the Shade family who have been ill.

The Wednesday Bridge club is meeting this afternoon with Mrs. G. E. Chamberlain.

Ukelele Club Elects

The Ukelele Club of the high school elected officers for the current school year Tuesday afternoon as follows:

President—Jessica Thomas.
Vice-president—Eunice Lyon.
Secretary—Erna Pritchitt.
Treasurer—Eloise Robinson.
Marshalls—Edwina Irving and Rebecca Ditto.

The club will play at an auditorium period for the students of the school soon.

Given Pleasant Surprise.

Mrs. Silas Watts was given a pleasant surprise Tuesday noon by the sewing club of the Eastern Star which has been meeting under her direction. Tuesday was the last day for the work under her leadership. The women meet in the Masonic temple, and yesterday they brought articles for a luncheon which was served at noon as a surprise for Mrs. Watts. The articles brought were taken to the fourth floor where the luncheon table was set, and Mrs. Watts knew nothing about it until it was announced that dinner was ready on the fourth floor.

In the center of the table was a beautiful cyclomen, which was afterwards presented to Mrs. Watts as a souvenir from the women. The luncheon began with hot chili con carne and the menu included all sorts of good things to eat.

Warrensburg W. C. T. U. Meets

The Warrensburg W. C. T. U. met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Isabel Berman. Mrs. Berman had charge of the devotions.

The Union voted to send the Union Signal to their president, for one year. They also decided to take up the Mother's meetings in connection with their regular meetings. Mrs. C. B. Erwin county president, was present and gave an outline of the state plans for work for the coming year.

Mal'Ois Embroidery Club.

The Mal'ois Embroidery club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. H. Brohard, 248 East Grand avenue. The afternoon was spent in fancy work. This being Mrs. Horace Fee's birthday, the club members presented her with a piece of ivory. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Robert Davis, 912 North Main street. SOC

Will Entertain Auxiliary.

Mrs. A. L. Kirk will entertain the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Spanish War Veterans Friday afternoon at her home, 955 South Maffit street. The feature of the afternoon will be a Christmas grab bag. Each person who attends is asked to bring a gift, costing not more than 25 cents, for this grab bag.

MARRIED.

COLEMAN-STALEY

Miss Flora Bell Staley and Duane Coleman, both of Decatur, were married at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening at the First Christian parsonage, Rev. R. E. Henry officiating. The ring ceremony was used. The couple were accompanied by Mrs. Luther Staley, mother of the bride, and Miss Emma Burns.

Mr. Coleman is the son of Nathan Coleman, and is employed by the E. Z Opener Bag company. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Staley. For the present the couple will make their home with the bride's parents at 715 Bright street.

$693 RAISED BY AID SOCIETY

Financial Report Given at First Christian Meeting.

The financial report for the past year, given at the meeting of the General Aid society of the First Christian church Tuesday afternoon, showed that the society had raised $693.07 during the year. The expenses were $689.75, leaving a small balance on hand. Included in the amount paid out was the sum of $245 which applied on the society's pledge to the new church building. Of the amount raised $423.61 was through dinners and suppers.

The president appointed the following committees for the year:

Floral—Mesdames James, Radford, Myers.

Purchasing—Mesdames Ivans, Lewman.

Trustees—Mesdames Moore, Gillespie

The society will have a social about Jan. 20 at the home of Mrs. Lewman.

At the meeting yesterday about $16 was turned in by the different wards. No special events had been held for raising money during the holidays.

ARTHUR KINKADE SENDS BACK PAPER

Paris Edition of New York Herald Tells of Wilson's Reception.

Arthur Kinkade sends to The Review a copy of the Paris edition of the New York Herald of Dec. 18, also a war edition of the Chicago Tribune of the same date, published in Paris. Both are filled with accounts of the reception of President Wilson in Paris. Practically all of this account was given to readers of newspapers in America by cable but it is interesting to see how the accounts of this reception was handled by newspapers published on the ground.

Both papers devote more space to home news of interest to Americans in France. There is a sports department in which the greater part of the space is given to baseball and a full report of a great boxing tournament in London participated in by British and American baxers representing the army, navy, air forces, etc. The Paris edition of the two newspapers is indeed a very fair epitome of the American editions of the same papers.

15,000,000 POUNDS OF MEAT STORED

Ira Leach Writes of Duties at Big Refrigeration Plant

Mrs. Mattie Leech, 1115 North Main street, has received the following letter from her son Ira D. Leech, who is with the refrigerating Plant Co., overseas.

"Dear Mother and Sisters: I am feeling fine and have only gained thirty pounds since I left the hospital. The weather here is cold and damp so we have to watch ourselves closely. I washed some handkerchiefs and when they were dry I put them under my mattress in a magazine and this morning when I got up they were ironed. That is army life, that is also the way a soldier presses his trousers.

"We left Camp Merritt, Sept. 9, and started for a ferry boat down the Hudson river, the Red Cross gave us a hand out, but our Captain brought us a real meal, then we went aboard the ship "America" which was once a German ship with the name 'Amerika.' We were on the water nine days and on Sept. 30, landed on French soil.

NAPOLEON'S PRISON.

"While at Brest I saw the place where Napoleon kept his prisoners. It was about two square blocks, with a big wall built of rock and about twelve feet high all around it. Small houses were built on the top for the guardsmen, while on duty. The houses on the inside were very long, I imagine they were 150 feet in length and sixty feet wide.

"We took the train at Brest and the cars were very amusing, they are about twenty feet long and not as wide as the American cars. On the inside was the reading "Chevaux, 8; Hommes, 40", which means eight horses or forty men. When the train started it took both hands to hold on, but toward the last it rocked us to sleep. We were on them from Friday till Sunday, and were sure glad to get off.

Lately we have been putting up a fence around two hundred acres of land at a remount station where they have about 8,500 houses. It sure is a great sight.

A TOWN OF YANKS.

"We are located near a town called Romorantin, about 176 miles south of Paris. This place at one time was just country, but now is an American city, with true blooded Yanks in it. This camp covers about twenty-five square miles. We have taken charge of a new plant, which sure has wonderful machinery. They claim it the best there is. Each soldier is assigned to his work—mine is taking charge of all the officers' meat checking and all auto trucks coming in after meat which is ten or twelve large ones a day. The plant holds 15,000,000 pounds of beef. We work from seven to twelve and one to four. We have good eats. Yesterday we had pie and ice cream, the first I have seen since I left New York.

"IRA."

ANNUAL MEETING OF TWO CHURCHES

Two churches will have their annual meetings tonight. They are the Central Church of Christ and the Congregational church. Annual reports for the year will be read at these meetings.

NEED SUPPLY OF BOYS' CLOTHING

A supply of boys' clothing is badly needed by the Social Service bureau. Clothing for boys from the ages of 6 to 12 especially is wanted. Anyone who has any boys' clothing that can be spared can telephone the bureau, Fairview 260, and the garments will be called for.

During the month of December forty-nine children were fitted out with clothes by the bureau, and some have already been equipped this month. These are mostly boys, and as a result the supply of boys' clothing is almost completely exhausted. Clothes are also given out through the schools for distribution.

Cocoanut Oil Fine For Washing Hair

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.

Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Just plain mulsified cocoanut oil (which is pure and entirely greaseless), is much better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair.

Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. One or two teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanses the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily, and removes every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulsified cocoanut oil at most any drug store. It is very cheap, and a few ounces is enough to last everyone in the family for months.

Fooling the "Flu"

JACK FROST CREAM is a dainty antiseptic cream, inhaled in the nostrils it relieves congestion, opens the air passages and encourages deep breathing. Thus the system receives a more abundant supply of life-giving oxygen—nature's great purifier. Good for cold in the head, coughs, croup, sore throat, &c.



HAS POEM SENT TO ROOSEVELT

Decatur Woman Got Letter From White House.

Mrs. O. M. Cummins, 546 South Sigel street, is the proud possessor of a letter written her from the White House in Washington at the instance of Theodore Roosevelt, at the time he was president of the United States. Mrs. Cummins had written a poem about Mr. Roosevelt and forwarded it to him at the time of his inauguration on March 4, 1905.

A short time later, Mrs. Cummins received the following letter from the White House, which was dated March 29, 1905:

"Your favor of recent date has been received and the president requests me to thank you for your very kindly expression. Very truly yours,

"W. H. LOEB,
"Secretary to the President."

The poem which Mrs. Cummins wrote and sent to the president was as follows:

"OUR PRESIDENT."

All hail to the chief of our nation
We laud him with pride and delight,
A man acting for we, the people,
Imbued with their power and their might,
Today as a nation we hail him
As he stands in defense of the right,
As a man and a leader we love him,
The one who will win in the fight.

Our leader's a man who has wisdom,
And courage to grapple with greed,
He measured out justice with fairness
Regardless of color or creed,
Opposed to the wrong that's existing,
Affecting the high and the low,
He gives to each one a square dealing,
No matter if friend or if foe.

A God-fearing man is our leader,
Upholding the truth and the right,
He's fearless of wealth or position,
The rich and the poor face alike,
In the vigor and strength of his manhood
At the head of the nation he'll stand,
The good ship of state finds safe anchor
While Roosevelt holds the command.

Decatur Lodge I. O. O. F. Installs.

Decatur lodge No. 65, I. O. O. F., installed the following officers at their meeting held Tuesday evening in their hall on North Main street:

Noble Grand—T. B. Reddix.
Vice Grand—James Joplin.
Recording secretary—I. E. Ball.
Financial secretary—U. G. Draper.
Treasurer—S. O. Kennedy.
Warden—William Schroll.
Conductor—J. M. Constant.
Chaplain—Charles G. Kemper.
Right scene supporter—F. L. Nanna.
Left scene supporter—W. L. Collins.
Right supporter Noble Grand—S. O. Kennedy.
Left supporter Noble Grand—C. E. Erwin.
Right supporter Vice Grand—H. N. Dosper.
Left supporter Vice Grand—Roy T. Brady.
Inside guardian—Ben Smith.
Outside guardian—O. M. Lowry.

Followings the meeting the Odd Fellows were very much surprised when a number of the members of Progress Rebekah lodge came in and served them with sandwiches and coffee.

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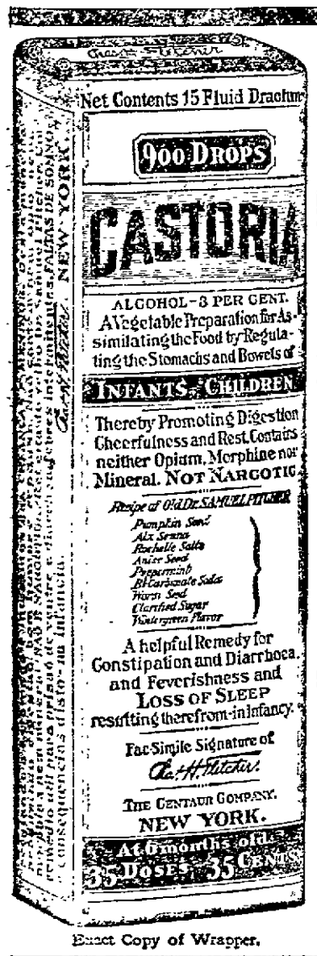
Canton Flannel Gloves for the workman, the farmer, the furnace room.
Jersey Gloves (without dye), when you hang out Monday's washing.
Black Mittens, that are warm, for the lad, the lassie.

Heavy Gauntlet, dozen	$3.25
Per pair	28c
Medium Heavy Gauntlet, dozen	$2.90
Per pair	25c
Heavy Wristlet, dozen	$2.40
Per pair	22c
Light Weight Wristlet, dozen	$2.00
Per pair	17c
Ladies' Jersey, dozen	$2.80
Per pair	25c
Black Jersey Mittens, dozen	$2.90
Per pair	25c

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You May Find It In Stocking

Cincinnati authority says your troublesome corns just loosen and fall off

Sore corns, hard corns, soft corns or corns between the toes just loosen in their sockets and fall off the next day if you will apply directly upon the corn a few drops of a drug called freezone, says a Cincinnati authority.

You merely put a drop or two of this freezone on the tender, touchy corn today and instantly the corn stops hurting, then tomorrow sometime you may find the old torturous pest somewhere in your stocking, having fallen off entirely without a particle of soreness, pain or irritation. The skin surrounding and beneath the former corn will be as healthy, pink and smooth as the palm of your hand.

A quarter ounce of freezone is sufficient to rid one's feet of every corn and callus, and any druggist will charge but a few cents for it. It is a compound made from ether.

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SPORTS

HAVE MONOPOLY ON CAPTAINCIES

Pinney Brothers Head High School Teams.

At one of the best of the annual football banquets given each year to the members of the first and second teams of the Decatur high school held Tuesday night in the school's domestic science rooms, Ivan Pinney was elected captain of the team for next year. Pinney's brother, Chester, was football captain three years ago. He is now in the U. S. Marines.

The banquet was served by the girls of the domestic science department, the posters and place cards were made by the Poster club of the art department of the school and it was one of the most enjoyable of the many held for this event.

TALKS ARE MADE.

Principal T. M. Deam acted as toastmaster and spoke on "The Value of Athletics to the Boy in the High School," and R. E. Brannan, coach of Millikin University, spoke on "Sportsmanship."

Coach A. D. Jones of the high school talked of the benefits each player had received from the season's work and Captain-elect Ivan Pinney made a short talk on the prospects for a winning team next fall.

Charles Deetz, the retiring captain told of the troubles which had arisen from the influenza epidemic and also spoke of the unusually high grades which most of the men on the team had maintained in their scholastic work, in addition to their activities on the athletic field.

LOCAL BOWLERS LOSE AT CAPITAL

Springfield Journal: Five of Springfield's crack bowlers took the measure of a fast Decatur team last night at the Capitol City alleys, winning the first set of a series by 136 pins. The games were witnessed by a fair sized crowd of fans. The local pinmen will go to Decatur Saturday night to shoot the rest of the match.

Conklin of the visitors set a high score of 234, which Fucik of the Springfield team had a high average of 194.

In a set of doubles Fucik and Moore of this city won from Conklin and Gustin by four pins, Conklin with 201 and More 200 topped and Conklin set an average of 187.

The scores were:

SPRINGFIELD.

	1st	2nd	3rd	Total	Ave.
Fucik	180	214	181	584	194
Rebok	204	176	187	561	187
Swanhund	201	170	201	575	191
Amrbrin	159	171	130	486	162
Moore	136	165	174	495	165
	911	897	899	2701	900

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Steiser	184	198	155	540	170
Hill	182	145	107	434	144
Conklin	234	162	184	580	193
Bray	145	181	182	508	169
Gustin	171	144	138	473	157
	916	830	849	2595	853

SPRINGFIELD.

	1st	2nd	3rd	Total	Ave.
Fucik	185	193	178	556	185
Moore	176	147	200	523	174
	361	340	378	1079	359

DECATUR.

Conklin	101	199	201	561	187
Gustin	174	178	102	514	171
	335	377	303	1075	358

ILLINOIS MAY PLAY WABASH

Urbana, Jan. 8.—Illinois' basketball men probably will meet either Wabash or Notre Dame next Friday and Saturday nights. Efforts to card one of the Hoosier fives are being made. These will be the finishing games for Coach Jones' men before the opening of the conference season.

LARRY M'LEAN MAY DIE OF BURNS

Newark, N. J., Jan. 8.—Larry McLean, for years a famous National League catcher, is in a critical condition in a Newark hospital as a result of burns received in a turkish bath when he lost consciousness after entering a room. He had been suffering from pneumonia and was in a weakened condition.

ROLL OF HONOR

The following casualties are reported by the Commanding General of the American Expeditionary forces:

Killed in action—12.
Died of wounds—10.
Died of accident and other causes—4.
Died of airplane accident—1.
Died of disease—19.
Wounded severely—38.
Wounded, degree undetermined—6.
Wounded slightly—6.
Missing in action—4.
Total—120.

Following are the Illinois men on the list:

DIED OF ACCIDENT OR OTHER CAUSES.

Major Weir Riche, Chicago.

DIED OF DISEASE.

Corporal Hirdie Green, Chicago.

WOUNDED SEVERELY.

Sergeants:
McDuffie Freeman, Chicago.
David C. Greis, Chicago.
Corporals:
John E. Hobert, Rock Island.
John McNeil, Chicago.

DIED OF DISEASE.

(Previously reported died of wounds), Private Dennis L. Kirby, Marion.

WOUNDED SEVERELY.

(Previously reported missing in action), Private August De Waele, Prophetstown.

WOUNDED SLIGHTLY.

(Previously reported missing in action), Private Ralph White, Franklin.

WOUNDED, DEGREE UNDETERMINED

(Previously reported missing in action), Bugler Otto Bryan White, Clinton.
Private Waler A. Anderson, Chicago.
Lieutenant Edward Lampa, Ashley.
Corporals:
Paul Julius Goyke, West Hammond.
Emanuel Paterouskis, Freeport.

SICK IN HOSPITAL.

(Previously reported missing in action), Corporal George McLaughlin, Streator.

BROTHER TOOK LIFE IN HANDS

Major J. T. McDavid Tells of Accident.

BACK FROM FRANCE

Decatur Doctor Assigned to Ft. Harrison.

"My brother, Lieut. Joel McDavid, took his life in his hands every time he went up in an airplane because that was his business," said Major J. T. McDavid, who arrived in Decatur Tuesday evening, for a twenty-four hours' visit with his family after his very recent arrival from service in the medical corps in France.

"Joel was inspector of planes which the United States government was taking over from the French at Paris. It was his business to receive or reject those offered and in the plane which he was inspecting on the afternoon of Oct. 12 there must have been some defect which he did not see before he took a test flight as he fell from the sky to his death soon after the machine was well up in the air."

CONDITIONS AT BREST.

Maj. McDavid says that the conditions in Brest, France, were very bad most of the time but it was unavoidable. With almost constant rain and men pouring in there by thousands and supplies by the shiploads conditions were very bad but in spite of this fact the health of the men was usually excellent.

"Simply too busy to get sick, I suppose," said the former Decatur physician, "but it was certainly as moist a place as one could find anywhere, with the sea on three sides and rain practically every day."

Maj. McDavid has no idea when he will be discharged from the service and has been assigned, since his arrival from France, as chief surgeon of the hospital of the 137th Field Artillery at Fort Benjamin Harrison, near Indianapolis.

WORK ON DISCHARGES.

The men, 3,000 of them will be given physical examinations preliminary to their discharge which will begin at once.

Major McDavid reports that the wounded men of the United States army were given excellent treatment at the front and were a nervy, jolly lot of soldiers in spite of their wounds.

He was stationed at a very large hospital at Meaves, France, at the time of the ending of the war. He went across in July.

St. Paul's Board Meets.

At the meeting of the offical board of St. Paul's Methodist church Tuesday night the treasurer reported that all bills were paid and there was a balance of $212 on hand.

IVESDALE BOY IS RECOVERING

Mrs. Monaghan Gets Letter From Captain.

Mrs. James Monaghan of Ivesdale, in trying to get some information from her son, Patrick J. Monaghan, who was wounded in action, wrote to his captain. Recently she has received this letter from Captain P. L. Purdon.

"General Hospital No. 11.
Cape May, N. J.
Dec. 25, 1918

"My dear madam:—Your two letters requesting information of your son, Private P. J. Monaghan have just reached me. I sincerely trust that before this time you have gotten news of him from himself, and can well understand your natural anxiety for him.

"It is with great joy that I am able to tell you that to the best of my knowledge your son's injuries were not fatal and he will soon be coming home to you if he has not already done so. He was wounded almost at my side when we were engaged in forcing a crossing at Vesle river in the face of a heavy machine gun and shell fire, Aug. 7. During the action your son conducted himself with great credit, exhibiting a high order of courage of which you may well be proud.

"In all his service with me he was ever conspicious for his faithfulness, intelligence, honor, and reliability, and in the company was universally liked and respected by officers and men alike.

"I haven't heard from him since he was wounded. I myself was injured and sent back to the states, and have now almost entirely recovered. I should like very much to hear from him or any of the boys, for I became much attached to them and will ever welcome news of them.

"Very sincerely yours,
"P. L. PURDON,
"Capt. 47th Inf. U. S. A."

CHARLES E. LEE ON THE PROGRAM

Decatur Boy in Religious Services in France.

Charles E. Lee has written from Pauillac, France, an interesting letter to Rev. J. W. McDonald. He mentions the services held at the Brotherhood church there in honor of Captain Frank E. Evans, Mr. Lee having a part on the program at the service. He expresses felicitations on behalf of the "enlisted personnel." The service was held Dec. 15.

Mr. Lee's leter follows:

"Charles E. Lee, Y2c, U. S. Naval Air Station, Pauillac, France, Dec. 16, 1918.

"My Dear Dr. McDonald:—I just received your letter yesterday and following my usual customs, I am answering at the earliest possible moment. Incidentally, I might add that I read it while standing line in the rain in front of the canteen—trying to get my share of the latest shipment of cookies. It may be defined as being a great life.

"Apparently the 2nd Presbyterian as quite a representation in the service—it looks good to see the line-up.

"I am enclosing a copy of the program for last night's services, not only because of the fact that a rpresentative of the 2nd Presbyterian appeared on it, but also because it gives a pretty good statement of what the church here stands for.

"Chaplain Whitmore was formerly in charge of the Irvington Presbyterian church at Irvington-on-the-Hudson, and is a very strong character. He has very clear ideas as to the church of tomorrow, and has a vision for the future of the church in America that would overcome many of the difficulties at present existing. The men here have had the chance to see things in the States with the perspective which distance gives, and if the vision can be carried back and maintained, a lot of the narrowness and friction caused by some of the old ideas and the great variety of creeds will be avoided. The motto of the church will indicate what Mr. Whitmore considers the most important thing in religion.

"The process of demobilization is going along here, and since the station is to be turned over to the army, it is reasonable to imagine that it will not be very long before we will be on our way back. I am anxious to get started in life, and I am quite sure that the experiences of the past year and a half, with the time for thinking I have had, will make me a better citizen when I do get back. If there is no difficulty in getting released from the service I expect to start in with law work in Decatur studying in my father's office.

"The weather continues rainy and damp here—no really cold weather, for there hasn't been any freezing cold yet. I have managed to keep well most of the time, although the last few days I have been rather under the weather.

"Was glad to see that McDavid was re-elected—he deserves it. Best wishes for a successful year to you and the family.

"Sincerely yours,
"CHARLES E. LEE."

CARL W. GLASGOW IS RECOVERING

After Delicate Operation in Mayo Hospital at Rochester, Minn.

Carl W. Glasgow, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Glasgow, is now reported to be in a fair way to recovery after a complicated bone grafting operation at the Mayo Brothers' hospital in Rochester, Minn.

The young man was injured over a year ago by being thrown from a horse. The injury developed later as a serious one to the base of the spine and he was taken to the hospital where a piece of the bone from his shin was grafted to the injured spinal column and it is now expected by the surgeons that he will recover.

Glasgow, while in the Decatur High school, was active in track athletics, being captain of the school team in 1914.

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$1.50 value Radiant, two-quart $1.19
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Bank Statement **Bank Statement**

Charter No. 4920 Reserve District No. 7

Report of condition of The National Bank of Decatur, at Decatur, Illinois, in the State of Illinois, at the close of business on December 31, 1918.

RESOURCES.

1. a. Loans and discounts, including rediscounts	$1,941,561.85	$1,941,561.85
2. Overdrafts, secured, none; unsecured	3,556.16	3,556.16
3. U. S. bonds (other than Liberty Bonds, but including U. S. certificates of indebtedness):		
a. U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	250,000.00	
b. U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value)	1,000.00	
f. U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness owned and unpledged	5,000.00	256,000.00
6. Liberty Loan Bonds:		
a. Liberty Loan Bonds, 3½, 4 and 4½, unpledged	80,650.00	
c. Payments actually made on Liberty 4¼% bonds of the Fourth Liberty Loan, owned	122,500.00	203,150.00
7. Bonds, securities, etc. (other than U. S.):		
b. Bonds (other than U. S. bonds) pledged to secure postal savings deposits	10,000.00	
c. Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged	75,750.00	
f. Collateral Trust and other notes of corporations issued for not less than one year nor more than three years' time	39,000.00	124,750.00
9. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)		10,500.00
10. a. Value of banking house, owned and unincumbered	140,000.00	140,000.00
11. Furniture and fixtures		25,000.00
12. Real estate owned other than banking house		1,491.02
13. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		169,539.88
15. Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks		704,631.00
16. Net amounts due from banks, bankers and trust companies other than included in Items 13, 14 or 15		109,996.15
17. Exchanges for clearing house		27,665.77
18. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 17)		1 991.19
Total of Items 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18	$831,284.11	
19. Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items		20,961.23
20. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		12,500.00
21. Interest earned but not collected—approximate—on Notes and Bills Receivable not past due		14,238.98
22. War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually owned		2,790.03
Total		$3,860,268.72

LIABILITIES.

24. Capital stock paid in		$ 250,000.00
25. Surplus fund		100,000.00
26. a. Undivided profits	none	
b. Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid		296,861.77
27. Interest and discount collected or credited, in advance of maturity and not earned (approximate)		12,024.21
28. Amount reserved for taxes accrued		6,000.00
30. Circulating notes outstanding		250,000.00
32. Net amounts due to National banks		96,008.63
33. Net amounts due to banks, bankers and trust companies (other than included in Items 31 or 32)		293,874.69
Total of Items 32 and 33	$389,773.21	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
34. Individual deposits subject to check		1,611,507.40
35. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		114,628.76
36. Certified checks		2,610.06
37. Cashier's checks outstanding		907.79
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, items 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40 and 41	$1,829,714.00	
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
42. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		214,497.66
44. Postal savings deposits		809.33
45. Other time deposits		499,788.84
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 42, 43, 44 and 45	$714,895.83	
46. United States deposits (other than postal savings):		
c. Other United States deposits, including deposits of U. S. disbursing officers	1,000.00	1,000.00
Total		$3,860,268.72

State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss.

I, H. R. Gregory, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. R. GREGORY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January, 1919.
C. R. STEVENS, Notary Public.
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TO THEIR OWN FATE.

Dispatches from London bring the information that the British government will send no more soldiers to Russ t that it now has not more than 20 000 soldiers in that country, and that these are being withdrawn as quickly as possible

A few days since the world learned that Japan was taking its soldiers out of Russia Of course if the British and the Japanese quit the soldiers of other nations will be recalled from Russia

This is being interpreted to mean that Russia is to be left to its fate People of that country are engaged in killing each other and perhaps it is figured that if they are let alone they will complete the job, after which others can step in and make better use of the resources of the fine country

There is something behind the withdrawal of British and Japanese troops from Russia that has not been told to the world A short while since it was taken for granted that more troops would be sent to that country to bring the Bolsheviki to some kind of decent terms Of course it is practical for the forces of other nations to overcome the Bolsh with such assistance as can be had from millions in Russia

But this program seems to be dropped, at least for the present There is some big reason for this change in plans and this has not been given to the public

A short while since it was stated by a representative from Russia that that country can in time right itself He asked for help from the outside saying that with it the righting can be accomplished in much less time But without this help the process of righting the country would go on though at slower speed

It looks just now as if the Russians will have a chance to do their own righting They have a long and bad road to travel before they get the job done

A RESPONSIBLE MAN

We are to have real station masters at the Wabash station in this city There will be one for the day hours and another for night That place has had a station master for years at least one who wore the uniform and now they propose to make a real official of him

They are building an office room for the station master In this they will install a telephone and he will answer calls for information He will call trains, chalk up the bulletin boards, direct patrons who may be about the premises and then he will answer calls coming over the phone

Heretofore these phone calls had to be answered by the ticket agents but it is seldom they have the time to spare. It is figured the station master will have more time and he is just the one who should have the information that is wanted by the person who telephones He is the station master and as such has authority

If he reports a train a half hour late of course he will be expected to exercise his authority and see that it does not depart in twenty minutes If he reports a train due in a half hour of course he will have to see that it gets in on the time he sets What is the use in being a master unless one has authority and power to regulate little affairs of this kind?

But it is our guess the station master will quickly learn the public is holding him to a measure of responsibility that will make life a serious proposition for him

SIX YEARS TOO LONG TO WAIT.

In 1913 congress gave us a migratory bird law, a statute to protect wild ducks and geese while passing from state to state, while on the way from Canada to the south country, or while reversing that trip

The result of that statute was that our hunters were told they must not go to the Illinois river and take ducks at seasons of the year they had been getting ducks Some of these hunters obeyed the letter of the statute or regulation others did not The point was gued with some sharpness for a season or two, and then the war came along and started all of us to talking of something else

Now we are told that after all this time, a period of six years, the statute or regulation has got to the supreme court at Washington and that it is held to be invalid. The men who obeyed the regulation are out six hunting trips they might have had the men who flouted the regulation are now wearing an air of superiority

The thing that occurs is that we would like to have some system of procedure by which it will not take all of six years to learn that congress and a regulatory board have exceeded their powers in a matter of this kind The duck that got by in those six years will never be taken by us they are like water that has run past the mill dam

WANT A SECOND TRIAL

We are told that the Interstate Commerce commission has with the exception of one member let a senate committee know that if the commission is opposed to either government ownership or management of the railroads of the country It must be the members of the commission have a feeling that this industry was in a better way under the old management

Some will feel that the commission members are rather nervy in saying a thing like this They and their predecessors had a great deal to do with railroad welfare in those older days the ones before the war The records will show the roads didn't prosper greatly at that time

Something would happen to cause a decided increase in the expense of running the roads in those good old days The roads had to have more money to meet this added expense and the way to get it was to increase the rates The managements figured out increases in rates that they considered modest under the conditions that prevailed and this was presented to the commission for approval The commission turned the managements down

These were left to get along with old revenues and increased outgo and the harassing experience was repeated many times Of course the railroad managements didn't do well at this didn't have a happy time when the big strain came along they didn't have either track or equipment to meet it They fell down in a way and because they had not been allowed sufficient revenue to meet the larger demands that were coming at them from all sides

The Interstate Commerce commission was largely responsible for that situation And yet members of the commission seem to think that was better than federal management will be The members must have a poor opinion of federal management

Of course there is just a chance that members of the commission see by now that they made a mistake in their former policy and that they want to try again, promising themselves they will do better next time

TRIM MR. McADOO GENTLY.

Mr McAdoo we are told is leaving Washington to spend several months in California where he will rest One judges from this there was something besides an inadequate living wage that caused Mr McAdoo to throw up his many Washington jobs

Of course the man isn't going to California to make more money by taking a rest In that part of the world they have all the pins set to take from him large slices of the meager savings he made while in Washington He says that in Washington he didn't get enough money to enable him to live in the style he had to adopt while he is in California resting it will be all outgo and nothing coming in

It is in order to turn in a request that the people who run the rest climate of California make Mr McAdoo nominal rates

SHOULD NOT NEED A STATUTE

The corporation counsel is looking up the authorities to learn if the ordinance the city now has is vigorous enough to catch the offender who spits in a street car If more law is needed it will be forthcoming, likely

It should not be necessary in a community like this to have a law to keep a citizen from spitting in a street car One should not spit on the floor of a street car any more than he would spit generally over a sitting room

It doesn't require a statute to keep one from spitting on the floor of a home no more should it take one to save the street car This is speaking of what should be and should not be, and doubtless it applies to nearly all folks

But occasionally there is a wild one who breaks over all the conventions It may be necessary to call the police to take care of his sad case

We went over the top on stamp sales in 1918 and it is assumed it will be all the easier for us to repeat in the second round that is staged for 1919

It appears that 4 000 French brides are willing to take chances on this country after seeing the quality of men it produces and sends to the front

Most of those people in Berlin were raised on force and potens and maybe it is the only kind of suasion they can understand

There is mention of frozen eggs that bakers can buy The price the rest of us are asked to pay for eggs causes us to freeze

On Tuesday corn took another upward whirl and by now the thing seems to be an incurable habit

BETHANY CASE NEARS SETTLEMENT

Expected 85 Per Cent Will Be Paid.

Sullivan Jan 8—Another hearing was had in the Moultrie county circuit court Tuesday before Judge George A Smith in the Bethany bank case A petition was filed and was signed by a majority of the creditors of the bank asking for a settlement It is understood that a settlement will be made in a very short time on an eighty five per cent basis at least from what information could be gotten Tuesday evening, it is practically certain that a settlement will be made on this basis but nothing definite was done at the Tuesday session

FROM THE NAVY

Attorney Donald Craig of Mattoon was here Tuesday in connection with some cases in the circuit court Attorney Craig has just returned home from the navy where he enlisted a few months ago and made one trip across before the fighting stopped He is a graduate of Annapolis and has had service in the navy before

Mrs Sanders of Cerro Gordo arrived Tuesday evening for a visit with her sister Mrs David R Loudman and family

Game Friday

The Sullivan Township High school basketball five have a game for Friday evening of this week with the high school five from Shelbyville It is expected that a large crowd will turn out for the game as is always the case when Shelbyville plays here The Sullivan team walked away with a game last Friday evening from Taylorville on the latters floor and are in excellent condition for the game Friday evening

FUNERAL

The funeral of John W Bolin which was held from the Jonathin creek church Tuesday afternoon was attended by a large number of people from this city and was about the largest funeral held at the Jonathon Creek church in a long time The deceased formerly lived in that neighborhood and the entire community attended the funeral

Possibilities For 1920 Campaign

BY W. G. SHEPHERD,
Washington Correspondent.

If the United States wants another president like Wilson, but can't have Wilson himself, it needn't despair If it wants to take another try at a college professor, born in the south, and of democratic leanings it may turn to David Franklin Houston secretary of agriculture He has a long list of degrees He has been a superintendent of public schools, a tutor in ancient languages, assistant professor or professor in several universities and colleges and wound up, before going into the government as a full-fledged university president out in Texas


DAVID F. HOUSTON

There was a time, before we went into the war when President Wilson and Secretary Houston spent most of their time together They were the two pals of the cabinet Those were days of talk and theory however When days of action came however with our entry into the war Newton Baker seemed to loom to the fore in Wilson's attention He was a 'doer and that was what Wilson needed But for brains and comprehension Houston is said to be almost the double of Woodrow Wilson

Ten Years Ago Today In Decatur

JAN 8, 1909

The Woman's society of the First Congregational church held its twentieth annual meeting The society had raised $1 39.- for the church during the year

Skating on the river was the best in many years

Frank Torrente had ripe bananas lemons and oranges growing in the greenhouse at Fairview Park

Thirteen men were arrested for selling liquor in antisaloon territory

20 YEARS AGO TODAY

Richard Mansfield and company passed through Decatur on a special train

Mrs G C Kinsman died at the Princess hotel in Hamilton, Bermuda

Mayor Taylor appointed a committee to find a location and secure plans and specifications for a coliseum

The Christian Tabernacle choir was entertained by Rev and Mrs George L Hull

486 FAMILIES MOVED TO DECATUR

In Past Year by One Transfer Company.

One Decatur transfer company reports that in 1918 it moved into town 186 families and moved out 280, leaving a net gain of 206.

In December thirty-six families were moved in and sixteen moved out

GAINS 20 POUNDS IN THE ARMY

Homer Hoewing Tells of Life of Soldier in France.

Mrs W F Hoewing received a letter Dec 31, from her son, Homer, which was written on Dec. 8. This was the first word from him for six weeks He writes partly as follows

'Things are different now than they were Just to think there is no more blood shed, and that peace once more reigns over the world is hardly possible, but since I last wrote it has become a realization Just three days after my birthday (one which I will long remember) fighting ceased Since that, part of Uncle Sam's fighting forces are going into Germany as an army of occupation, while the others are waiting their turns to come home and work that they may continue to do their bit and help to supply the stricken countries with produce We belong to the part that are waiting

'I guess the first thing you will want to know is how I am My health has been of the best ever since I have been in the army, weighing twenty pounds more than when I was drafted

As to my work we do mostly hiking since we quit our work on the machine guns shortly after the armistice was signed We completed considerable training on the anti-aircraft machine guns, both on range and school work We also had some hand grenade work from imitation trenches

'All our work since we came over here has been interesting although it is work, but anything worth doing is worth doing well, so why worry It is the making of us in many or most ways I have been getting my mail fairly regular and also my pay each month

'We who know God as a companion know that it was by his help that we were able to win the war for Germany was a sample of a nation that depended on her own strength Surely it will be a sample to us and we will be a stronger God loving and in a sense God fearing nation

'Will soon be home and then will tell you more'

FOUR TEAMS IN INDOOR LEAGUE

Play to Start Next Week; Four More Teams Needed.

Four teams have signed up to play baseball in the new Commercial indoor baseball league The schedule of games will be played off at the Y M C A gym The series of games will begin some evening next week but the evening has not as yet been decided upon The first games will be played as follows

I T S vs Staleys
Decatur Bridge Co vs Mueller's

The management would like to secure four more teams for the league The number of teams will be limited however to eight and if the four more do not enter the contest the league will be formed with just the four teams In either case the opening games will be played some time during the coming week

PANA CORPORAL AT RED CROSS HUT

H. B. Mills Has Discharge and Is on His Way Home.

Corporal H B Mills of Pana, was a visitor at the Red Cross hut yesterday He has been discharged at Camp Merritt and was on his way home He wore an honorable discharge chevron, two half year service chevrons, the chevrons donating his rank and a sharpshooter's badge He was accompained by Benj F Brittan a sailor from New York who is away on furlough and taking the opportunity to see the golden west

SHELBYVILLE NOW JOINS IN FIGHT

Cities Would Abolish P. U. Commission.

Shelbyville, Jan. 8—The city of Shelbyville, through action of the board of aldermen Monday night, has joined the ever-increasing ranks of Illinois municipalities that have enlisted for the purpose of dealing a solar plexus blow to the State Public Utilities Commission

This action followed the reading of a communication from Robert L Watson of Aledo, chairman of the Home Rule Municipal League of Illinois, in which it was declared that when the utilities that serve a municipality petition the commission for a raise the municipality finds that its franchise and ordinance amount to no more than a kaiser's treaty The letter further states that the municipalities of Illinois are divided into just two classes

'Those that already have had experience on rate hearings before the commission, and those that have not yet arrived at that unfortunate position

Shelbyville belongs to the former class and for that reason the action of the council in formally endorsing the movement of the Home Rule Municipal League of Illinois was all the more ready According to the letter from Mr Watson which was received by Mayor F P Bivins and by him laid before the council, the city will be asked to take more definite action a little later in the campaign to put the Public Utilities Commission out of business.

INSTALLATION.

Shelbyville chapter No 69, O E S entertained its friends at the hall Monday night, on the occasion of the annual installation ceremonies The chapter was fortunate in securing the services of three past matrons to conduct the officers through the various phases of ritualistic work, and on to their respective stations, to which they were assigned for the ensuing year Miss Ida Barber of Windsor acted as installing officer.

TAX RATE

The tax rate in Shelbyville this year will be $6 44 This announcement is made by County Clerk Ed L Allen, in whose office the rate has been computed, following the receipt of railroad valuations from the state board The tax rate of 1918 which is the rate on which the taxes of this year are based is 12 cents lower than the 1917 rate, which was $6 56 The reduction however is no indication of a corresponding reduction in taxes, for owing to the increased valuations of property it is likely that a greater amount of money will be raised by taxation even at the reduced rate than last year

The various items that go to make up the tax rate of 1918 are as follows

State tax	72
County tax	68
Town tax	10
Road and bridge tax	61
City tax	1 60
School tax	2 43
Railroad bond tax	07
Total	$6 44

DEATHS.

Mrs Zola Mae Barker, wife of Deputy County Treasurer O O Barker, died at her home, 2308 North Third street, a little before noon on Tuesday Mrs Barker had been ill for several weeks from a complication of troubles and during most of the time her condition was critical

Mrs Barker was a bride of only six months having been married to Dr Barker at the altar of the Methodist church in Sorento, Ill., July 1, 1918 Immediately thereafter the young couple came to this city, where Dr Barker was then assistant county superintendent of schools

Mrs Barker was the youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs A B Gardner

The funeral will be held from the Christian church at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, conducted by the pastor the Rev N H Roberts Burial will be in Glenwood cemetery

Miss Elizabeth Frazer, a native of this county, died at noon Tuesday at her home, 720 South Union street after an illness of a year and a half from asthma which caused her great suffering. For the last six months her condition had been serious

Miss Frazer was 70 years old She was a daughter of the late Mr and Mrs Benjamin Franklin Frazer pioneer residents of Shelby county

Atwood Crochet Club.

The Atwood Crochet club will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs Robert Shue 145 West Forsland avenue

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All up to *$22.50 coats* go at, *$ 9.50*
All up to *$30.00 coats* go at, *$14.50*
All up to *$37.50 coats* go at, *$18.50*
All up to *$42.50 coats* go at, $22.50
All up to *$65.00 coats* go at, *$34.50*
All up to *$75.00 coats* go at, *$39.50*

$2.50 House Dresses, $1
—Odd lot of gingham and percale dresses—also pink and blue aprons—clean-up price
$1

Boys' Wash Suits, 39c
—Pretty two-piece styles in boys' wash suits—sizes 4, 6, 8—worth $1—going at
39c

$6 Women's Sweaters $3.95
— Odds of women's sweater coats in a fair assortment of sizes—sold up to $5.95, choice
$3.95

Children's Caps at 25c
—Big odd lot of children's caps in knitted styles—all colors — values to 75c, for
25c

$1.25 Silk Hosiery, $1
—Our entire $1.25 line of pure silk hose in black and all wanted colors. $1.

Silk Waistings, Half
—½ to 2½ yard remnants silk nets, chiffons and black lace all-overs—36 to 40-in. $1 to $1.98 values, half price.

19c Percales at 12½c
—Light style doublefold percales, cut from the full, clean, perfect bolts.

$16.50 Rugs at $8.95
—9x10-6 room size composition linoleum rugs. To clean up at $8 95.

50c Overdrapery, 19c
—A big lot of 36-in. blue and green madras Sold up to 50c yd. Choice, 19c. Also up to $1 values for 39c a yard.

Art Goods, Half Price
—Odds of centers, scarfs, doilies, pillow tops, etc., to close out quickly.

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IN FIGHTING FOR FORTY-SEVEN DAYS

Sergt. Steele Home From France Wounded.

Sullivan, Jan. 8.—Sergeant Cecil Steele, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Steele of this city, arrived home from France Monday night. He left this city with Co. C, Fourth Regiment, Illinois National Guard, on Oct. 9 1917, this regiment afterwards being changed to the 130th Infantry and after arriving in France last Summer was placed in the 33rd division.

Sergeant Steele was the second Sullivan soldier to return home from the battlefields and is the first one to come home injured.

INJURIES.

He was injured by a shell while in charge of several men who were digging in. Sergeant Steele heard the shell coming and ordered his men to fall face downward and the shell fell close to him, killing three of the men. Fragments of the shell struck Sergeant Steele, three pieces lodging in his back near the left side and another struck him over the heart, but he recovered from the wounds and arrived back in this county a few days ago and was allowed to come home for a five day furlough and then is to report at Fort Sheridan. He had written his parents some time ago that he was in the hospital and that he would have to have a soft job for awhile after he returned home but did not give them the least idea about his injuries and they did not know to what extent he was injured until his arrival home.

LONG TIME AT FRONT.

He said that Co. C, which is made up mostly of Sullivan and Moultrie county boys were in the front line trenches forty-seven days without having off any of their clothes or shoes. In speaking of Co. C, he said they would be home before long and he seemed to know what he was talking about, that there was no danger of them having to go to Berlin with the army of occupation. Heretofore it has been the understanding that Co. C was with the army of occupation and that the boys would not be home for a long time. Relatives of the Sullivan boys in this company will be more than pleased if this proves to be the case and there is no reason to doubt what Sergeant Steele says about it as he was a member of that company and has just come from France and should know more about the movement of his own organization than any one here.

MORRISONVILLE

Mrs. A. S. Westcott and son Lloyd went to Taylorville Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. C. P. Aufrecht.

Mrs. John Minikin and baby returned to their home in Ames, Ia. Friday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Myrle Minikin.

George Madden came up from St. Louis Friday night to attend the funeral of John Harwood, jr.

William Wilson received word from his son, Pa. Friday morning that he had just arrived in New York from overseas.

Mrs. John Solomon returned to her home in Springfield Saturday after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. M. A. Mollenpolds.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carey have returned to their home in Toronto, Can., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. William Carey.

Private William Steele arrived home Saturday from Camp Oglethorpe, Ga., having been honorably discharged.

Joan Lenden is here from Springfield visiting his son William Snyder and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hyatt and children were down from Taylorville Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Wilson.

Private Leonard Goehl, arrived home Sunday from Camp Taylor, Ky., being honorably discharged.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kinney went to Dalton City Sunday where they will visit relatives a few days.

J. A. Shubert went to St. Louis Sunday with a car load of mules.

Dan Sheedy went to Jacksonville Monday where he took the little daughter Marie and Rosalie Dolhi who attend school there.

August Wilnetz returned Sunday from a week's visit with relatives at Mt. Olive.

Mrs. J. O. Head and children returned Monday from a two-weeks' visit with relatives at Breese.

Mrs. J. M. Storm returned Monday to Champaign where the Misses Mona and Verne attend school.

Rev. William T. Sloan of Jacksonville was here Monday the guest of Rev. T. E. Cusack.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Letts went to Greenville Monday to visit relatives.

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Good weight black cotton hose for women. Sizes 8½ to 10. Reinforced heels and toes. Hemmed top.

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LADIES' APRONS 10c
To close out one lot of 15 Bungalow Aprons for ladies. (Only one to a customer).....

LADIES' SKIRTS 25c
One lot of 10 Dress Skirts for ladies. Made of good material. (Only one to a customer).....

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Ladies' Union Suits
—Fleeced lined white color union suits, in sizes up to 44; 3 styles, long, short or no sleeves.
95c

Ladies' Sweaters
—Fibre silk sweaters that have sash—wool sweaters in red and gray colors—values in this lot up to $6.
$3.45

Ladies' Knit Pettic'ts
—Fine knitted gray petticoats trimmed with stripes—also a few whites—crocheted bottoms.
45c

Ladies' Pants or Vests
—Fleeced lined, white color pants or vests; all sizes—sells regular for 59c.
45c

Babies' Winter Hoods
—To close out one lot of baby's bearskin hoods—a large assortment of colors.
2c

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The Boss wanted to know what we intend to sell this lot of coats for. Our buyer thought they ought to sell for $15. BUT THE BOSS SAYS "Close them out!" That is why we are going to sell this lot for

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Spectacular Clearance of
DRESSES
No reason for any woman not to dress up when we are going to close out this lot of serge and silk poplin dresses at the low price of
$4.99

Sensational Fine
DRESSES
Here's another lot of wool serge, Satins, Taffetas and Georgette Combination dresses to be closed out. Plenty of colors and sizes. Values in this lot up to $18.95 on sale at
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Unusual Offering of
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Black Cooney Muffs or Collars. The muffs are barrel shape and lined with velvet. The collars are good size. Worth at least $6 on sale at
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All Winter Suits
At Extreme Reductions
The Boss Says: Close out all your winter suits regardless of what they cost or what they sold for formerly. Suits in this lot that sold up to $40 on sale at
$8.95

WAISTS
The assortments afford the widest selection. It will pay to stock up during this sale. We are offering wonderful values. Don't take our word for it. Come and see for yourself.
$3 Values.....$1
$5 Values.....$2.95
$7.50 Values.....$3.95

No Reason To Shiver Here Are 10 Ladies' Coats
$1

SKIRTS
All skirts must go without a question as to price. We have arranged 3 lots for you to choose from and the prices ought to tempt the most particular buyer.
$3 Values.....$1.95
$5 Values.....$2.95
$7.50 Values.....$3.95

Men's Work Shirts
—Light or dark blue chambray work shirts for men—we have sizes 15 to 17—cut full size—well made.
98c

Babies' Winter Coats
—One lot of chinchillas, Bearskins, etc.—values in this lot that sold up to $6—some are slightly soiled.
$1.37

Boys' or Girls' Sweaters
—Good quality fine knitted sweaters made with large collar and two pockets—red, gray and navy colors—always sold for $1.95.
$1.39

Men's Shirts or Drawers
—Heavy flat-fleeced shirts or drawers; tan color—also ribbed fleeced all sizes.
69c

Boys' School Pants
—Good heavy weight cheviot and cassimere pants for boys' sizes 6 to 17 years—formerly sold for $1.25 and $1.50.
97c

Ladies' Silk Hose
—Genuine BURSON fibre silk hose; black color only—full fashioned and knit without a seam—slightly irregular.
53c

Ladies' Winter Gloves
—Fleeced lined black or colored winter gloves; made with two-clasp; nice and awrm; embrodery tops.
49c

Ladies' Sateen Pet'c's
—High grade sateen petticoats in black and colors; made with deep flounce; fitting top.
97c

BOYS' SUITS
Closing out one lot of boys' suits. They are this season's latest models and sizes. We have the following sizes left. 5 to 9 years and 14 to 18 years. On sale at..... **$3.88**



BOYS' SUITS
In this lot you will find suits that sold up to $7 and $8. We have all sizes except 8 years. We are going to close out this lot at the low price of..... **$4.88**

BOYS' MACKINAWS.
We have collected one lot of odds and ends in Boys' Mackinaws and are going to dispose of them quickly. We have all sizes to 18 years. All this season's materials and styles. On sale at..... **$4.44**

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Ladies' Bungalow Aprons
—Bungalow aprons in several different styles; light and dark blue or light figured percales—always sold for $1.74—on sale at
$1.39

Ladies' House Dresses
—One lot of long sleeve percale house dresses; made with wide belt and has two large pockets; loose fitting model—all sizes—on sale at
$1.69

Ladies' Dressing Sacques
—Closing out our entire lot of fleeced lined, persale, gingham and eiderdown dressing sacques. Your choice of any in our stock at 97c.
97c

GIRLS' COATS

—Mothers here is an opportunity you have been waiting for—girls' 4 to 7 years, coats made of chinchilla, corduroy and Zibiline materials—on sale at
$2.98

—Plush coats for little girls 3 to 7 years at this low price is certainly remarkable—quilted-lined and they are trimmed with Beaver plush—on sale at
$4.95

—GIRLS, don't miss seeing this high priced coat that is made of all wool velour; sizes 10 to 14 years—really $15 values on sale at
$8.95

Girls' Dresses
95c
—Persale, gingham or the combination of both; long sleeves, belt and two pockets; neat patterns—values up to $1.50—on sale at..... **95c**



Girls' Dresses
$1.39
—One lot of high grade gingham dresses that formerly sold for $2—long sleeves and many pretty new winter models—very special at..... **$1.39**

Girls' Sweaters
—Well knit wool and cotton yarn warm sweaters for girls 10 to 14 years—red, rose, Copen and khaki colors—a remarkable value at..... **$2.47**

Girls' Middies.
—To close out—one lot of high grade middy blouses for girls or misses' We have a large assortment and it would be impossible to describe each and every one—but they are bargains at..... **$1.19**

Boys' Blouse Waists
—Closing out one lot of boys' blouses; made of light colored percale; sizes to 10 years only.
21c

Men's Sweaters
—Khaki and gray color wool mixed sweater coats; —two pockets—worth at least $2.75.
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—Your choice of any cotton or wool union suit for men in our entire stock at this low price of
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LOST AND FOUND.

Lost—Fountain pen, without top, Tuesday. Finder please return to A. J. D., Bachman Bros. & Martin. Reward.

Lost—Between 400 block Water and Eldorado and Church, small brown purse. Containing three $2 bills, silver dollar and half dollar. Good reward. Tel. 5511.

Lost—A 30X3½ Mohawk Auto tire with tube in side. Between our factory and Depot. Reward for return or information Decatur Ice Cream Co.

Lost—Dark blue and red plaid auto robe on Riverside Ave or South part of town. Call J. W. Simpson at Mueller Factory. Reward.

Lost—Farmers & Merchants Savings Bank Book, containing $10.00 bill and Government check for $10.00 to Mrs. Ruth M. Sorrel, return to Farmers & Merchants Bank or Red Cross Hospital. Reward.

Warning—The party who picked up the pocket book on North Main Street, north of Grand Ave., and expects to get away with it, is hereby warned to immediately return the same to the owner.

Lost—Scotch collie dog, 4 white feet. White ring partly around neck. Call Main 6026. Reward.

Estrayed—Red heifer calf, 1 year old. Finder notify W. A. Stover, Ivesdale, Ill.

Lost—Green sweater at Dreamland Park Sunday afternoon. Return to 1020 W. Cerro Gordo. Reward. Main 6387.

WANTED—POSITIONS.

Wanted—Work on farm by experienced married man. W. L. Duncan, 266 E. Marietta St.

Wanted—Any kind of work by the day. Mrs. Murry, Main 6928.

Wanted—Position as salesman, young married man of seven years' experience now employed. Acquainted with city and central Illinois territories. Address A-272 Care of Review.

Wanted—By young girl: children to care for afternoons and evenings, can give best of references. Call Main 1488.

Wanted—All kinds of odd jobs. Phone Main 1349.

Wanted—Place to work, mornings and evenings for board. Main 1708.

WANTED—HELP.

Wanted—Man and wife to work for railroad construction crew; man to work with crew, wife to do cooking. For particulars write C. E. Lakin, Ramsey, Ill.

Wanted—Man and wife to work on farm woman to assist with house work. Inquire at 247 South Park St.

Wanted—Dishwasher at Thompson's Dairy Lunch.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Wanted—Young man bookkeeper and stenographer. Must be experienced. Good position to right party. Call Fairview 245.

Wanted—Experienced truck driver; married man preferred. Call at National Bakery, 433 N. Water.

Wanted—At once all around blacksmith E. K. Wright, Assumption, Ill.

Young men, 16 and over, are eligible for government Railway Mail Clerks. $92 month. Examinations soon. For free particulars write J. L. Leonard, (Former Civil Service Examiner), 247 Kenois Building, Washington.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

Wanted—Dish washer and waitress. Fascella's Restaurant, 257 South Park.

Wanted—Experienced girl for general housework, no washing. Mrs. C. E. Ward, 777 West Main.

Wanted—Woman for light housework. 739 North Main.

Wanted—Girl to work at Neiman's Laundry.

Wanted—Experienced girl for general housework, no washing or ironing. Mrs. [illegible] Main 479.

Wanted—Assistant girl, Mrs. Clara Watson, the Home [illegible] Fairview 621.

Wanted—Elderly lady or young girl to take care of two children, from 6:30 [illegible] Call at 218 E. Macon after 2 p. m.

Wanted—Laundry girls. Good wages. Steady work. Snyder's Laundry.

Wanted—Girl or woman for general house work. Call Main 7077.

Wanted—Dining room girl at Myers Hotel, 138 S. Main.

Wanted—Middle aged lady for light housework and company. In family of two. Good home for the right party. Reasonable wages. Main 2019.

Wanted—An elderly lady who needs a good home. White preferred. Call Main 1488.

Wanted—Girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. Louis Kates, 927 West Macon.

Wanted—A competent wash woman, 1395 West Main.

Wanted—5 or six capable ladies for 1919, to travel, demonstrate and sell dealers. $25.00 to $50.00 per week. R. R. fare paid. Write at once. Goodrich Drug Co. Dept. 275 Omaha, Neb.

Wanted—Ladies for photographic work; experience unnecessary; no attention paid to phone call. Only those desiring permanent work need apply. C. R. Willis, 255 North Main.

WANTED—TO BUY.

Will Call Any Place in city for rags, paper magazines and all kinds of junk. High prices paid. Phone Fairview 200.

Wanted to Buy—Good floor cases. Phone Main 122.

Wanted—To buy or repair your clock; 1 year guarantee. Phone 3371.

Highest cash price for second-hand clothing. 545 Front Street. Fairview 28.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

Wanted—House cleaning and carpet cleaning or other work by man and boy. Main 5171. 518 East Gault.

Paper Hanging—If you want your walls neatly papered, floors waxed, or polished, call Adam Page. Expert work, plastering, painting and repairing rental property. 232 West Main. Bell 511.

Wanted—Use of piano for its storage. Main 4801.

We Want to put on your roof repair or build your house. Fairview 290. 633 E. Grand.

Let me make your will and repair your pump. Phone 4344 evenings.

Wanted—Light hauling. Call R. H. Oliphant. Bell 4327.

WANTED—Your watch repair work. We sell and repair American makes. CRAW the Watch Man. 147 Merchant street.

Wanted—Dressmaking, satisfaction guaranteed. Main 4693.

WANTED—All farmers to know that I will pay cash for all dead stock. Wm. Price, 964 North Monroe. Phones 4431 and 2624.

WANTED TO RENT.

Wanted to Rent—Strictly modern house, city heat preferred. A-318 care Review.

Wanted to Rent—House near car line by Jan. 15, no children. Address A-281 Care of Review.

Wanted to Rent or Buy—Six or eight-room modern cottage, within three blocks of Wabash hospital; must be in good repair and worth the money asked. A-325, care Review.

Wanted to Rent—Two or three furnished modern rooms for light housekeeping by small family. Would like to have possession by Jan. 1st. Main 4494.

Wanted to Rent—Two 5 or 6 room modern houses on east side. Phone Main 122.

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

For Rent—Furnished front room, first floor, private entrance, city heat, gentlemen preferred, 545 W. Prairie. Main 2903.

For Rent—Furnished room to party employed, gent preferred. 271 W. North.

For Rent—Front bedroom or rooms for light housekeeping. 418 West Wood.

For Rent—Modern room; gentlemen preferred. 417 W. North. Phone Main 6260.

For Rent—Front room suitable for two. Modern private family. Board if desired. 868 N. Edward St.

For Rent—Modern sleeping room. Gentlemen preferred. 820 North Church.

For Rent—Sleeping room. Strictly modern. Close in. 442 N. Church.

For Rent—2 rooms in modern home steam heat, close in; to gentlemen. 408 W. Wood St.

For Rent—Warm cozy room in private home, modern close in. Call Main 6195.

511 W. Prairie—Modern room, city heat. Close in. Gentlemen prefered. Main 2781.

For Rent—Newly furnished steam heated room opposite University. Phone Fairview 30.

For Rent—Nicely furnished sleeping room, hot water heat. Close in. Phone Main 6215.

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING.

For Rent—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1104 North Main.

For Rent—Light housekeeping, one large modern room with kitchenette; references; no children. 746 North Main Street.

For Rent—Modern Light Housekeeping Rooms. Main 4078.

For Rent—2 modern furnished or unfurnished light housekeeping rooms. 262 W. Main.

For Rent—Two large furnished rooms for light housekeeping, first floor, private entrance. Furnace heat, no children, block from car. Call 3340.

FOR RENT—FLATS.

For Rent—Six-room modern flat; gas range; $16. 969 North Main street.

FOR RENT—HOUSES.

For Rent—Beautiful five-room bungalow, west side; references required. Main 2652.

FOR RENT.

For Rent—Store room 20 by 95 feet at No. 535 N. Water. White tile floor, large show window, owner furnishes heat. Call Main 1490.

For Rent—Basement 70 by 166 feet, corner Main and Prairie high ceiling, two entrances, well lighted by sidewalk prisms, owner furnishes heat. Call Main 1490.

WANTED—BOARDERS.

Wanted—Boarders at 2170 East Main; close to Wabash shops. Call Main 2880.

BIRDS, DOGS AND PETS.

For Sale—Canaries; female. 749 East Decatur. Main 5685.

For Sale—Flemish Giant rabbits. 1135 E. Rogers. Main 1814.

For Sale—Pit and English Bull pups. Phone Main 7064.

HOGS AND RABBITS.
1 Chester white, to farrow in March; 1 Jersey Red, breeding age. Flemish Red, B. R. and Grey Belgians. 2012 E. Prairie.

FOR SALE—LIVE STOCK.

For Sale—Eight nice pigs, cheap, about nine weeks old. Main 5004. 2300 North Broadway.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

For Sale—Slide trombone, silver plated, gold bell, G. C. Conn, leather case, all in good condition. Guy Watson, Vernon, Ill.

For Sale—Hand corn sheller, two brooders, small chicken house, small refrigerator, 240-pound platform scales and other articles. 1327 North Main street. Phone Fairview 61.

For Sale—Oak lumber. All dimensions. 1800 E. Main.

For Sale—Ladies' Coat. Cal. at 440 W. Macon.

For Sale—Shelving at 124 Merchant. Phone 585.

For Sale—Heavy overcoat, Canadian overseas army issue. A-290 care of Review.

For Sale—Flat top desk, and Oliver typewriter, both good. Also 7½ acres of best suburban land, adjoining Decatur. Call Main 2017.

For Sale—Clean cobs by the load. $1.25. Delivered. Main 173.

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For Sale—Sweet clover seed. Yellow bloom. Makes better fertilizer than Red Clover. Fine hay and pasture. Analysis about the same as Alfalfa. $15.50 per bushel. Bags extra. J. S. Campbell, Tuscola, Ill.

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33x4	27.50	28.85	4.15
34x4	28.10	29.50	4.25
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FOR SALE—VACANT LOTS.

For Sale—By owner, 5 modern 6 to 9 room houses, west and northeast location; no agents. Address A-280 Care of Review.

For Sale—2 of the best corner lots, east of 7th street on William. Pavement paid, room for 4 houses, good location for grocery and market. Priced to sell. Might consider Ford car cows or hogs. 2312 E. Prairie Street.

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FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY

Have Customer wanting to buy for cash 6, 7 and 8 room modern houses, located in North and West end. What have you? A 254 Care of Review.

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For Sale—Good 6 room house with good barn, 2008 N. Lowber St. 1 block from Williams Sealing factory. For price and terms, write W. B. McGaughey Mt. Zion. Ill.

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8-room modern house, lot 40X150 ft. West Wood St. $4,000. $800 cash time on balance.
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FOR SALE—FARM LANDS.

For Sale—Well located farm of sixty acres in White county, Illinois; two miles from good town; owner is non-resident and will sell this place at a bargain. Let me tell you about it. A-339, care Review.

For Sale—160-acre farm in Wayne county, Illinois, four miles from town, all in cultivation; 360 acres tiled; excellent improvements. Price, $60 per acre. Will accept some city property. Write owner for details, L. T. Dwyer, Fairfield, Ill., Rt. 2

CORN FARMS

160 acres, good; per acre	$185
160 acres extra good; per acre	215
410 acres stock and grain	150
120 acres black corn farm, per acre	190
200 acres; a good one	200
101 acres; a good one	185
80 acres, all good but 20; per acre	150

J. M. PICKLE
220 Millikin Bldg. Phone 5909

For Sale—Fine 120-acre Wayne county, Illinois farm; grows 40 to 65 bushels corn or 25 bushels wheat per acre; good house and barn; good water and fruit; close to school; nice place to live; located in the best poultry country in the United States. Price, $7,800. Long time on $2,-800. Possession March 1. O. P. Green, Wayne City, Ill.

For Sale—102 acre grain and stock farm, 8 room house, good barn, silo, etc. 1½ miles from Irving, Ill. Also other farms. William M. Truitt, Irving, Ill.

Public Sale of Suburban Tracts and 140 Acre Farm One Mile West of Decatur

I will, on Saturday, January 11, 1919, at two o'clock P. M., at the north door of the Court House, sell five suburban tracts of five acres, and five suburban tracts of three and one-half acres, lying between the Interurban and the Springfield road, one mile west of Decatur. I will also sell at the same time 140 acres of land lying south of the Springfield road, one mile west of Decatur, known as the Moffitt farm.

These are the best suburban tracts that have been offered here for several years. Two good houses on this property.

Excellent terms. Ten per cent cash, 23 1-3 per cent on delivery of deed, one-third in one year and one-third in two years, at five per cent, with privilege of paying all cash.

For information see A. G. Webber or the undersigned.

CARL N. WEILEPP,
Master in Chancery.

Executrix's Sale

Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1919, next, at ten o'clock a. m., sharp, on what is known as the Bowers farm, one mile north and one and three-quarter miles west of Blue Mound, the personal property of the said decedent, consisting of articles hereinafter enumerated, will be sold at Public Sale in accordance with an order of the County Court of Macon County, entered on the 7th day of December, A. D. 1918

22—Horses and Mules—22

One span black mare mules, 2,500 lbs., none better, 11 and 12 years old; one span black mare mules, 2,600, 7 and 8 years old, extra good; one span mare mules, 2,300 lbs., 5 and 6 years old, good; one brown mare, bred to horse, 1,700 lbs., 5 years old, extra fine; one team mares, both bred to horse, 3,100 lbs., 10 and 11 years old, extra good workers; one brown mare, 8 years old, 1,500 lbs., bred to jack, extra good; one bay mare, 12 years old, 1,300 lbs., will work single or double, good work mare; one black mule, 13 years old, 1,400 lbs., extra good worker; one bay horse, 9 years old, 1,350 lbs., work single or double; one bay mare, smooth mouth, 1,350 lbs., good worker; one bay mare mule, 1,200 lbs., 10 years old, good worker; one 4-year-old black mare mule, 1,350 lbs., extra good; one 3-year-old bay horse, 1,250 lbs., good one; one 2-year-old mule, good chunk; two yearling mules, good ones; one weanling mule, a dandy; one black mare, 7 years old, 1,600 lbs.

9—Cattle—9

Five head of fat cattle, two heifers and three steers (if not sold before sale day); one Shorthorn milk cow, a good one, to be fresh in February; one part Jersey milk cow, a young cow and an extra good one, giving milk; one yearling calf; one calf, three months old.

20—Hogs—20

Three fat hogs, immuned; four sows, due to farrow in March, immuned; thirteen head of shoats, immuned.

Implements, Harness and Tools

One Little Giant corn dump, used two seasons; one Janesville gang plow, used one season; one John Deere gang plow, practically new; three Moline (Flying Dutchman) gang plows, good ones; one two-row surface cultivators, good ones; four single-row surface cultivators; two corrugated rollers; one iron roller; one weeder, used two seasons; two 14-inch walking plows; two McCormick mowers; one steel tooth hay rake; one two-row stalk cutter; one cutaway; two solid wheel discs; one Clofer Leaf manure spreader; two 8-foot binders (McCormick), one good as new, the other a good one; one John Deere and one Peter Schutler wagons, practically new; three other wagons, one of them a low wheel; two rack wagons, one a low wheel; three two-section harrows; one storm buggy; one hand corn sheller; one fanning mill, a good one; one clover buncher; two grindstones; one low-down oats seeder; one end-gate seeder, a new one; one Superior drill, good one; two corn planters, one practically new, the other a good one; one grass seeder; one hay rope; eight sets good work harness; twenty-one collars, most of them good leather collars; one saddle; a number of forks, scoops, etc.; one cream separator; a few small tools; one set carpenter's tools; one clipping machine; a few household articles and numerous other articles.

700—Hedge Posts—700

TERMS—Cash or part cash, with secured note for balance, the maturity date of which must not be more than twelve months from day of sale.

Lunch will be served by the Ladies' Aid of the Christian Church of Blue Mound.

TOTT D. DRESBACH,
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Harvey J. Dresbach, Deceased.

Auctioneers: F. E. Wilson & Son.

J. C. TERRY, Cashier.

For Exchange—178 acre grain and stock farm on National road two miles west of Marshall, Ill., about one half creek bottom, price $100 per acre will take one half in city property balance back on farm. 160 Muskogee County, Okla., every foot fine farming land, small improvements, fine oil prospects, want city. Write me regarding this. For sale—600 acres no better in state of Illinois, also 400 acres these are extra good corn land farms, priced, at a bargain, for particulars address A. M. Newhouse, Hammond Ill.

Illinois Farms For Sale—One of the best improved 100 acre stock and grain farms in southern Shelby county; also 100 acres in Fayette County; all bottom land; most all is well tiled and free from stumps. This farm will produce as much grain as your $250 per acre corn belt land, and can be bought for less than one fourth the price. Terms and price right. Don't fail to see this farm if interested. Write James W. Pope, Hanson, Ill.

For Sale—200 acre improved stock and grain farm, 3 miles of Assumption, Ill. Price $125. Subject lease 1919. Charles A. Spence, Assumption, Ill.

1680 acres, $13,000 improvements, living water, one of the best stock and grain farms in Dawson County. $20 an acre. F. R. Hopkins, Paxton, Mont.

Near Sikeston, Mo. We have a black land farm of 175 acres, all in cultivation very largely sown to wheat, which is in fine condition. Located in a highly developed section, only 2½ miles to market, this farm is a bargain at $100 per acre on terms. We still have a number of the famous Rankin farms, every one of which is the choicest of black prairie land, highly improved and equipped with buildings thoroughly tiled and close to market. Let us tell you all about these high class farms.

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$16,664 TOTAL RAISED FOR S. S. B.

W. Elmer White Makes His Report.

At the meeting of the board of directors of the Social Service Bureau held Tuesday evening the final report made by the treasurer, W. Elmer White, showed that the recent drive for funds brought in a total of cash and pledges of $16,664.77. Now Decatur is going to a cash basis on its philanthropies is shown by the fact that $12,540.68 of this amount was in cash, leaving only $4,124.09 in pledges yet to be collected.

The report of the different agencies included in the bureau during December was as follows:

Balance on hand	$ 2,085.59
Receipts	13,561.45
Total	$15,646.20

EXPENSES.

Welfare home	$ 835.98
Day nursery	272.85
General	[illegible]
Salvation Army	65.00
Total	$ 1,186.63
Balance	$14,457.[illegible]

MISS SANDERS' REPORT.

At the request of Miss Beatrice Sanders, secretary of the bureau, a case committee was appointed to cooperate with her in the general bureau service. President J. S. McClelland named A. H. Cope and Mrs. W. J. Grady.

Miss Sanders made the detailed report of the work of the general bureau as follows:

Amount of relief—$210.50.
Office visits on cases—[illegible]
Reports to individuals and other agencies—17.
Personal request for relief not [illegible] 50.
Telephone calls on cases 151.
Visits on cases [illegible]
Residence visits 22.
Referred to others for care 1.
Letters written on cases 9.
Persons returning loans [illegible]
Committee cases 2.
Families benefiting clothes bureau 19.
Visits to Salvation Army for clothes [illegible]
Case count for month 18.
Donations [illegible] and $2 [illegible] for bedding, etc.

WELFARE HOME LIST.

Mrs. [illegible] made a two months report in one for the Welfare Home, as she was unable to be at the December meeting and her report showed that homes had been found for three girls, the average daily attendance during the month had been eleven and nearly one thousand meals had been served during that time.

RUSSELL BACON HAS PNEUMONIA

Fred Turbyville Takes Place on Springfield News-Record.

Russell M. Bacon, city editor of the Springfield News-Record, was ill for six weeks with pneumonia, and during his illness his place was taken by Fred Turbyville. Mr. Turbyville, who recently gave up a position as managing editor of the Hopeville, Va., Record, was in Springfield at the time to visit friends and helped out as city editor while Mr. Bacon was ill.

Both men were former Decatur men. Mr. Bacon moved from Decatur about two years ago, and Mr. Turbyville several years before.

MR. HENRY BACK

Rev. H. E. Henry returned home Tuesday from Moline, where he had been called by the death of his father. He came back by way of Havana, where he attended a meeting of the directors of the Quiver Lake chautauqua association.

Shelby County Farm For Sale—200 acres good land, all level two miles from good town of 500. New house of 5 rooms, large barn 80X50 all woven wire fenced and cross fenced, on most public road in vicinity, school next to farm, 40 acres in wheat, 60 acres in grass and balance in cultivation. This is a splendid farm. Price $160 per acre. Will carry back $15,000 on farm for 5 years and will give possession March 1 1919. Box 249 owner of farm. Cowden Ill.

SUBURBAN.

For Sale—Fifteen acres. Good improvements. $3500. 1500 E. Main.

Suburban—One of the finest tracts adjoining Decatur, block level land. No trade, but will carry part. Also typewriter and good desk. Call Owner Main 2047.

Interurban Tracts For Sale

One acre tracts, near interurban and school Mile west of Fairview park. Price $400. Fifty Dollar cash and balance on monthly payments. Will accept liberty bonds at face value.

Schoenle & O'Mara
123 E. Main Street.

SUBURBAN TRACTS

Four blocks north of Wabash shops, $800.00 a tract. Liberty bonds accepted at par. $10.00 per month payments including interest. Call F. M. Farr, Main 6137 and you will be taken out to the tracts at any time.

LEGAL NOTICES

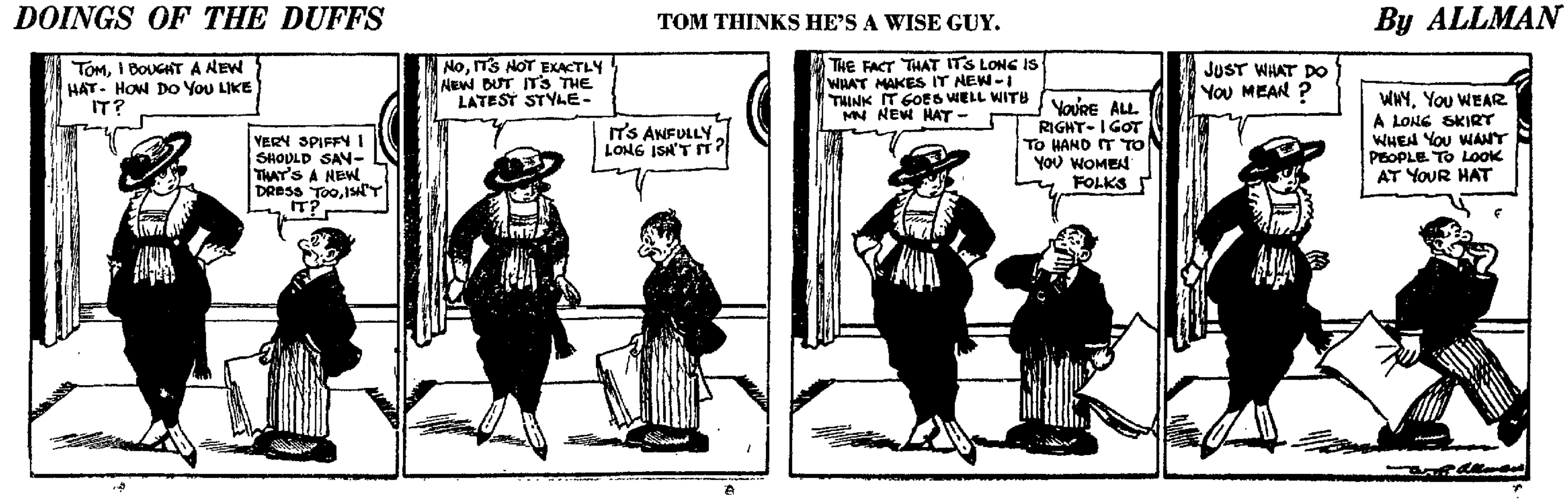
STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Peoples Savings and Loan Association will be held at its office in Decatur, Ills., on the 20th day of January, 1919, at 8 o'clock p. m. for the election of directors and such other business as may come before the meeting.

G. A. STADLER, Secretary.
January 4, 1919.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

TOM THINKS HE'S A WISE GUY. By ALLMAN



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OWNERS PLAN FOR RAILROADS

Washington, Jan.8—Railroad executives have decided to recommend to Congress a system of unified private management of rail lines with strong public control exercised by a secretary of transportation in the President's cabinet and a reorganized interstate commerse commission with regional divisions acting as a court of last resort in.ate disputes.

This became known here yesterday coincidental with the disclosure of the interstate commerce commission's attitude that railroads should be returned to private management within a "reasonable period" to allow for preparation and readjustments, and under "broadened, extended and amplified governmental regulaton."

CHANGES

To co-ordinate the agencies of Government control, the railroad executives propose to transfer to the department of transportation the executive and administrative functions now held by the interstate commerce commission. The commission would remain the court of last resort as to reasonableness and adequacy of freight and passenger rates, but the responsibility for rate regulation would be divided between the secretary of transportation, the commission and new regional commissions representing groups of states, reporting their findings to the commission at Washington.

INCREASE EFFICIENCY

The proposal of the railroad leaders is that rates filed by them with the Government shall be reviewed by the secretary of transportation, who may approve or disapprove them or refer them to the commission. Any rates made be subject of complaint by the public could be reached before the commission for review regardless of the cabinet officer's action. The period for which rates might be suspended pending investigation would be reduced from 10 months, as at present, to two months.

The railroad man's attitude is that commission's efficiency would be increased through relieving it of administrative detail and the turning over to regional commissions of much routine involved in hearing local rate cases.

SAYBROOK H. S. FACULTY QUITS

Bloomington, Jan. 7—All three members of the high school faculty at Saybrook resigned their positions to take effect last Friday evening when the school board refused to grant them pay for the overtime they were putting in. The high school classes were meeting at 8:30 and were holding every other Saturday in an effort to make up for the time lost.

SHANAHAN FOR SPEAKER

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 8—David E. Shanahan of Chicago, Republican, was elected speaker of the Illinois House of Representatives over Michael Igoe of Chicago, Democrat, at the opening session of the Fifty-first General Assembly here this afternoon.

The vote for temporary speaker was; Shanahan, 90; Igoe, 62; missing, 1.

The house immediately made the temporary speaker the permanent presiding officer of the house.

Springfield, Jan. 8.—David E. Shanahan of Chicago, was the choice of the Republican caucus for speaker on the first ballot last night, his vote being forty-eight, two more than necessary for election by the caucus. The vote on other candidates was as follows:

Norman G. Flagg of Moro, 37; Edward D. Shurtleff of Marengo, three; and Edward Perkins of Lincoln, one; Blank, one. The balloting was secret. Shanahan's candidacy was fought strenuously by the "dry" forces.

Shurtleff, Flagg and Perkins are "drys."

PARTY LEADERS.

In the Democratic house caucus, Michael Igoe of Chicago, was chosen for minority leader of the house.

Senate democrats are expected to name Senator Al F. Gorman of Chicago, minority leader in the upper house.

MATTOON MAN KILLED IN FRANCE

Mattoon, Jan. 8—The casualty list Monday contained the name of Loy Whalen, son of Mrs. Sarah E. Whalen, of this city. According to the list, he was killed in action. He had been reported previously by the war department as missing in action He was about twenty-five years old. He has a brother, Arlie, in France, now in a French hospital receiving treatment for injuries.

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE



DAVID SHANAHAN.

NEWS SUMMARY

Washington—Total deaths among the American expeditionary forces in northern Russia were given as six officers and 126 men, in a cablegram received at the war department.

Washington—Evidence designed to show that Francisco Villa, the Mexican bandit leader, received $300,000 worth of munitions, paid for by a German agent, was presented to the senate investigating committee.

Pittsburgh—Nine girls were killed and nearly a score injured when an explosion wrecked a film exchange building.

Paris—Only ten days remain before the expiration of the time allotted to Germany for meeting the armistice terms, and many of the details remain not entirely complied with.

Cleveland—What is believed to be a new world's airplane speed record was set when a plane covered the 215 miles from Dayton to Cleveland in one hour and fifteen minutes.

Local Notices

MOOSE DANCE

Thursday eve., Jan. 9, 9 to 12.

BOB SATTLEY, the restaurant man teaches Physical Culture—not the MATINEE IDOL kind—but sensible stuff for EVERYBODY and for EVERY day use Advice free.

WANT WATERWAY GULF TO HUDSON

Pittsburgh, Jan. 8—Advocating a great internal waterway system, extending from the mouth of the Mississippi to the mouth of the Hudson river and to the Atlantic ocean, through a 100 mile canal connecting Lake Erie and the Ohio river, several hundred delegates met and are in session here in the Mississippi-to-Atlantic internal waterways convention.

Among the delegates are Henry Ford, William A. McCorkle, former governor of West Virginia, Charles N. Chadwick, of New York, and George Parsons, Mayor of Cairo, Ill.

HUGE YEAR FOR ROAD BUILDING

Washington, Jan. 8.—Road building on an extensive scale is expected by government officials this year.

Estimates by the bureau of public roads and rural engineering indicate a minimum expenditure on highways of $300,000,000. Deferred construction and the improvement of existing roads, so that greater use may be made of the parcel post system are expected to swell the total expenditures in the post-war period to $1,000,000,000.

Definite estimates of amounts to be spent this year include the following: Illinois, $9,000,000; Iowa, $15,574,000.

CLINTON DEATH OF INFLUENZA

Clinton, Jan. 8.—Mrs. John Berg died about 2:30 Wednesday morning of influenza-pneumonia. She was about twenty years of age. She is survived by her husband, who is a baker. The couple came to Clinton from Champaign about a year and a half ago. Short funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon and the body will be taken to Champaign at 4:30 for burial.

The funeral of Mrs. Ruppe, who died in Kansas City will be held at 2:30 Thursday afternoon at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. O. H. Poland, conducted by Rev. R. L. Cartwright of the Christian church.

ASSUMPTION.

Assumption, Jan. 8.—The farm house of William Perry was totally destroyed by fire Monday afternoon. The fire originated from a defective flue and made rapid progress after it got started. Most of the furniture was saved. The building was a frame structure valued at about $1,500.

Among the boys to return home this week are Lowell Young from Camp Taylor, Clyde Nicol from Camp Lytle, Ga., and John Finnigan from New York.

Friends here have received word that Gregory A. Galvin of this city, who is a member of the senior class at St. Viator's college, was chosen class president. He is a brother of Vincent Galvin of the senior class of the Assumption high school.

MARY PICKFORD ILL, NO DANGER

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 8. — Miss Mary Pickford, the motion picture actress, who has been ill with influenza since Monday, was reported improved today by her physician. She was said to be in no danger.

WHEAT NOT HURT BY COLD

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Reports to the trade agencies here from the winter wheat belt say that the recent low temperatures have not done any material damage to the plant, since snow covers a great portion of the winter wheat belt.

Stockyard figures published today give hog slaughterings for the week ending Jan. 4 as 977,000 and those for the period of Oct. 27 to Jan. 4, 9,125,000, compared with 8,295,000 the same period last winter.

NEW PRICE LEVELS IN CORN

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Denial of the removal of restriction on imports from Argentina brought about fresh advances today in the corn market here. Highest prices yet this season were reached by all deliveries. On the bulge, however, profit-taking was in evidence, and a reaction ensued. Opening quotations, which ranged from ¾ to 1⅝c higher, with January $1.49 to 1.49⅛, and May $1.41½ to 1.42, were followed by a material setback and then moderate new upturns.

In the late trading March and May displayed greater firmness than other options. The close was unsettled, ⅛ to 1⅛c net higher, with January $1.48 to 1.48⅛, and May $1.41¼ to 1.41⅝.

Oats swayed with corn. After opening ⅝c off to ⅞c up, with May 72⅝ to 72½c, scored further gains, and then fluctuated within narrow limits.

Higher quotations on hogs and grain lifted provisions. It was said that, contrary to recent gossip, the average price of hogs for February would not be fixed today.

Realizing sales at the finish wiped out most of the gains.

REPORTS FROM THE PUBLIC SALES

WILLIAM ANDES AT MAROA

Total receipts at the William Andes sale at Maroa Tuesday were more than $10,000. It was a good sale in every respect. Cattle sold from $85 to $150, and sheep and hogs sold for more than market prices. A team of draft mares sold at $430 and a team of geldings brought $425. Clover seed went at $26 a bushel. Good prices were received on the implements disposed of.

CARMEAN-BRITTON AT CASNER

Receipts at the J. H. Carmean-J. C. Britton sale at Casner Tuesday reached more than $6,400. The highest price for a team of mares was $432.50, while cattle ranged from $125 down to $60. Hogs brought market prices.

T. A. SMART, MT. AUBURN

T. A. Smart of Mt. Auburn took in $1,000 at his sale Tuesday. The highest price received on horses was $75 and cows $50. Implements brought low prices

RAISE FOOD FOR ALL THE WORLD

Washington, Jan. 8.—Recommendation that the United States take the initiative in formulating an international program of agricultural production for the entire world to forestall a possible serious shortage of food, feed and fibre in the next few years, was made to the department of agriculture yesterday by the commission sent to Europe last fall by the department to study conditions there.

The commission said conditions found in England, France and Italy indicated a strong demand for staple agricultural products of this country, such as wheat, meat, sugar, cotton and wool, and that prices will be "steady and at a high level," if there is reasonable provision for shipping facilities and a co-operative effort on part of the allied governments to organize for production and distribution.

"All countries involved in war will at once become increased consumers when governmental restrictions upon food are relaxed," the commission declared.

MARKETS

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

(Furnished by Ware & Leland)

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Following is the range of prices with Tuesday's close:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Tues.
CORN— Open.				
Jan ....140 @....	148¾	147¼	148	147¾
Feb ....145¾@146	146	144½	144⅞	144¾
Mch ....142½@143	143	141¾	142½	141⅝
May ....141⅝@142	142	140½	141⅝	140⅞
July ....140⅛@141¼	141¼	139⅝	140⅝	140⅛
OATS—				
Jan .... 71¼@	71¼	71¼	71¼	71½
Feb .... 72⅛@ 72⅝	72⅝	72	72⅛	72
Mar .... 73 @ 73¼	73¼	72⅝	72⅝	72¼
May .... 73⅝@ 73½	73½	72⅝	73	72⅝
July .... 69⅝@	69⅞	69⅝	69⅝	70⅛
PORK—				
Jan .... 4690@	4690	4670	4670	4700
May .... 4340@	4370	4357	4357	4380
LARD—				
Jan .... 2345@	2345	2335	2335	2345
May .... 2415@	2415	2400	2400	2405
RIBS—				
Jan .... 2862@	2867	2860	2860	2870
May .... 2390@	2400	2385	2387	2385

MARKET GOSSIP

CHICAGO CARS.

	Rcts.	Cont.	Estd.	Yr. Ago.
Wheat	152	83	102	15
Corn	280	77	220	240
Oats	104	58	104	100

LIVE STOCK

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—(U. S. Bureau of Markets)—HOGS—Receipts, 48,000 head; market 5@10c higher than yesterday's average; bulk of sales, $17.55@17.85; butchers, $17.75@18.00; lights, $17.25@17.90, packing, $17.00@17.65; throw-outs, $16.00@16.80; pigs, good to choice, $16.25@17.00.

CATTLE—Receipts, 18,000 head; beef and butcher cattle steady to strong; veal calves 50c higher; feeders steady. Beef cattle: Good, choice and prime, $16.25@19.75; common and medium, $9.75@16.25. Butcher stock: Cows and heifers, $8.00@14.25; canners and cutters, $7.25@8.00. Stockers and feeders: Good, choice and fancy, $10.25@13.75; inferior, common and medium, $7.75@10.25. Veal calves: Good and choice, $17.00@17.50.

SHEEP—Receipts, 24,000 head; market strong to 25c higher. Lambs: Choice and prime, $17.00@17.25; medium and good, $15.25@17.00; culls, $11.50@14.00. Ewes: Choice and prime, $10.50@10.65; medium and good, $9.50@10.00; culls, $5.00@7.50.

Cleveland Live Stock.

U. S. Yards, Cleveland, Jan. 8.—(Bower & Bower Report)—HOGS—Receipts, 5,000 head; market steady; yorkers and mediums, $18.00; pigs, $17.75.

CALVES—$19.00@20.00.

LAMBS—$17.00@17.25.

CATTLE—$5.50@15.50.

St. Louis Live Stock.

St. Louis, Jan. 8.—HOGS—Receipts 10,000 head; market higher; lights, $16.00@17.65; pigs, $13.00@17.25; mixed and butchers, $17.50@18.00; good heavy $17.55@18.00; bulk of sales, $17.50@17.95.

CATTLE—Receipts, 7,500 head; market steady; native beef steers, $11.50@15.50; yearling steers and heifers, $9.50@16.00; cows, $7.50@12.50; native calves $7.75@17.50.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,500 head; market lower, lambs, $16.50@16.75; ewes, $9.50@10.00.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Jan. 8.—HOGS—Receipts, 21,000 head; market lower; bulk of sales, $17.10@17.40; heavy, $17.00@17.00; packers and butchers, $17.10@17.00; lights, $16.80@17.40; pigs, $10.00@14.00.

CATTLE—Receipts, 10,000 head; market steady to 10c lower.

SHEEP—Receipts, 6,000 head; market strong; yearlings, $11.50@13.00; stockers and feeders, $6.50@10.00.

Indianapolis Live Stock.

Indianapolis, Jan. 8.—HOGS—Receipts, 1,000 head; market 10@15c lower; heavy, $17.50@17.75; lights, $17.00@17.05; pigs, $12.25.

CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000 head; market steady.

SHEEP—Receipts, 300 head; market steady.

PRODUCE

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—BUTTER—Market higher; creamery, 59@65c.

EGGS—Market lower; receipts, 7,720 cases; firsts, 60c; ordinary firsts, 58@59c, at mark, cases included, 58@59c.

POTATOES—Market higher; receipts, 13 cars; Wisconsin, Michigan and Minnesota bulk, $1.90@2.05; do., sacks, $2.00@2.10.

POULTRY—Alive, market higher; fowls 26@30c; springs, 25½c; turkeys, 30c.

New York Produce.

New York, Jan. 8.—BUTTER—Market firmer; receipts, 15,054 tubs; creamery higher than extras, 70@70½c; creamery extras (2) score) 68@69½c; firsts, 64½@68½c; packing stock, current make No. 2, 42@42½c.

EGGS—Market irregular; receipts, 5,812 cases, fresh gathered extras, 69c; fresh gathered, packed, extra firsts, 67@68c; do., firsts, 64@66c.

CHEESE—Market firm; receipts, 1,067 boxes; state fresh specials, 37½c; do., average run, 36½@37½c.

POULTRY—Dressed, market firmer; prices unchanged.

GRAIN

Peoria Cash Market.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 8.—CORN—Market unchanged; No. 4 white, $1.46½; No. 5 white, $1.44½; No. 6 white, $1.43; No. 3 yellow, $1.49; No. 4 yellow, $1.46½@1.47; No. 5 yellow, $1.44½@1.45½; No. 6 yellow, $1.43; No. 4 mixed, $1.46½@1.47; No. 5 mixed, $1.44@1.44½; No. 6 mixed, $1.42½@1.43½.

OATS—No sales.

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—CORN—No. 3 yellow, nominal; No. 3 yellow, nominal; No. 4 yellow, $1.47; No. 5 yellow, $1.43@1.46½; No. 6 yellow, $1.43.

OATS—No. 3 white, 73c; standard, 73½c.

RYE—No. 2, $1.62@1.64.

BARLEY—86c@$1.07.

TIMOTHY—$8.00@11.00.

CLOVER—Nominal.

PORK—Nominal.

LARD—$23.35.

RIBS—Nominal.

St. Louis Cash Market.

St. Louis, Jan. 8.—CORN—No. 2, $1.46; No. 4 white, $1.40@1.50, January, $1.61¼ asked; February, $1.47¼ asked.

OATS—No. 3 white, 73½c; January, 74c; February, 75c.

Toledo Seeds.

Toledo, O., Jan. 8.—CLOVER SEED—Prime cash and January, $25.50; February, $25.75; March, $25.70.

ALSIKE—Prime cash and January, $19.60; March, $19.90.

TIMOTHY—Prime cash, old, $5.10½; new and January, $5.10; February, $5.20; March, $5.27½; April, $5.30; May, $5.32½; September, $5.85.

New York Money.

New York, Jan. 8.—Mercantile paper, 5½@5¾ per cent. Sterling sixty-day bills, $4.73½; Mexican dollars, 77¼c; government bonds steady; railroad bonds steady. Time loans firm; sixty days, ninety days and six months, 5¼@5½ per cent. Call money strong, high, 6 per cent; low, 5 per cent, closing bid, 5½ per cent.

DECATUR MARKETS

Decatur dealers are offering the following prices for grain:

No. 2 wheat	$2.07@$....
White corn	1.35@ ....
Yellow corn	1.35@ ....
Oats	.70@ ....
Rye	1.85@ ....

Butter and Eggs.

(Quoted by Max Atlas)

Eggs	.55
Butter packing	.50

Poultry.

(Quotations to producers by Max Atlas)

Hens, medium	.21
Hens, 4½ lbs and over	.25
Springs, 4½ lbs and over	.23
Springs	.20
Cocks	.15
Stags	.15
Old Toms	.25
Young turkeys, 8 lbs and over	.30
Geese	.19
Ducks, large	.23
Indian Runner ducks	.14
Live pigeons per dozen	.60

Live Stock.

(Quoted daily by Danzeisen Packing Co.)

Heavy sows	$14.00@$14.50
Choice young hogs 225-250 lbs.	16.00@ ....
Light pigs, 100-120 lbs.	15.00@ 15.50
Choice young hogs 175-200 lbs.	16.25@ ....
Choice steers	8.00@ ....
Shipping steers	7.00@ 7.50
Butcher steers	6.00@ 7.00
Choice cows	7.00@ ....
Medium cows	6.00@ ....
Bulls	6.50@ 7.50
Choice heifers	7.00@ 7.50
Heifers medium	7.00@ 8.00
Sheep	7.00@ 9.00

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Interesting Addresses Delivered at Memorial Meeting at the High School.

"Roosevelt as a genius."
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"Roosevelt as a statesman."
"Roosevelt as a patriot."
"Roosevelt as a fighter."
"Roosevelt as a man."

These are among the many qualities of the dead ex-president brought forth at the memorial meeting held in his honor in the high school auditorium, Wednesday afternoon. There was a large audience present at the opening of the meeting. It included not only men who in former years who supported Col. Roosevelt, but others who were bitterly opposed to him politically but who admired his many fine traits of character.

FOUR SPEAKERS

Rev. Frank Fox, Rev. W. H. Penhallagon, Judge W. K. Whitfield and Attorney C. C. LeForgee were the speakers of the day. All four were acquainted with President Roosevelt during his lifetime and they spoke feelingly and interestingly. The high school glee club sang.

Rev. W. H. Penhallegon, one of the speakers, said in part:

BY DR. PENHALLEGAN.

"When Robert Bruce, the great king of the Scots, was dying, he called the Earl of Douglas to his bedside. Upon the cross he made him swear that when the king should have breathed his last, he, Douglas would have the heart taken by the surgeons from the royal bosom and himself take it to the Holy Sepulchre at Jerusalem.

"America has had one heart today, and it is shrouded in the mantle of sorrow because Theodore Roosevelt is dead. Some men die silently unknown. Their lives are negative and they grip men but little, while they live, and when they go the world suffers no jar. But the passing away of this virile American has touched us all—has touched the whole world—and touched it deeply.

"In [illegible] our politics must necessarily carry a large part for parties is the scheme of government as we established it and long continued custom we have government by parties, nor is this perhaps in a restricted partisanship plays its part in keeping the fires of patriotism burning. Partisan politics [illegible] follows as a logical sequence, and while we may decry partisanship I could never see that sane and tolerant partisanship was objectionable. Well may we cherish the consoling truth that partisanship looms above petty and that manhood is taken at its face value.

KINDLY MESSAGE

"From France comes from our honored president although immersed in international affairs a kindly message of condolence; from Pittsburgh, Pa., from ex-President Taft a message equally kindly and generous, and from Baltimore, from the man whom millions of people would like to make president, there comes from William Jennings Bryan a message equally gracious, and these three great men have united in placing a wreath upon the casket of this other great man who death they deplore with us.

"Today the wounded, suffering soldiers in the hospitals choke back their pain while they think and speak in appreciation of this great man. The soldiers of our nation on the Rhine and Meuse and away up in Archangel, with the mercury 40 degrees below zero, these brave men, our representatives, mingle their sorrow with ours.

"At Versailles the representatives of scores of nations met for the peace parley join in this universal acclaim.

"Orators of national repute are at this hour speaking of his kingly qualities. Pens of great writers have been drawing him in word pictures, but I think of him most of all and above all as an American citizen, virile, hopeful, clean and courageous."

In closing Dr. Penhallegon said, "Let us resolve to cultivate and preserve the qualities that made him great."

DR. FOX'S TALK.

Rev. Frank Hampton Fox, pastor of the Congregational church, said in part:

"No flowers for my funeral," directed the distinguished American, whose memory we meet to honor, "nor falsehood from my friends." I am sure was also his wish.

After Abraham Lincoln, Theodore Roosevelt was the greatest commoner that America has produced. He was equally at home with the bold sailors in our fleet and the daring horsemen of the plains, with the wealthy clubmen of the east and the fearless cowboys of the west. While he was president, he visited a western city, which gave him a rousing reception; there was a great street parade followed by a banquet with the distinguished men of the state. In the crowd that lined the street, President Roosevelt recognized a cowboy, who had served under him in Cuba. With his usual directness, he ordered the automobile to stop. "Bill," he called, "come here." Bill, who had ridden a day and a night in the saddle in order to look on the face of his chief pushed his way through the crowd to grasp the outstretched hand of the man whom he had followed in battle.

"Move over governor and give Bill a seat," directed the president. There was a seat at the banquet board also for Bill, who fought with Teddy at Las Guasimas.

CHAMPION OF RIGHTS.

With the same utter disregard for conventionalities, President Roosevelt invited Booker Washington to dine with him in the White House. Critics declared that he did this unheard of thing to make votes, but when colored troops shot up a Texas town, President Roosevelt dealt with them in a drastic manner. No man has ever been a more consistent champion of all of the rights of the common man than Mr. Roosevelt. During our war in the Philippines cable rates were high; so our government only cabled the names of officers in the casualty lists. President Roosevelt, as soon as this practice was called to his attention ordered the names of privates as well as officers to be cabled at once.

"Every American mother who has given her son to the service of the nation is worthy of immediate notification as soon as he is shot."

Mr. Roosevelt was a great harmonizer of conflicting interests. After the strike in the anthracite coal mining district became a menace to the nation without any precedent he called representatives of both parties together and secured a settlement fair to both. Practically every boy baby born in a miner's cabin during the next five years was named Teddy. The Teddy bears surpassed the sale of all other toys for children for years.

When the leading powers of Europe proposed to make Venezuela provide for a financial settlement of her debts, Mr. Roosevelt succeeded in having the whole matter submitted to The Hague tribunal. He brought the Russo-Japanese war to a close, for which service to humanity he was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize.

HANDLED KAISER.

He knew how to handle the German kaiser also when he gave him a definite number of hours to withdraw his ships from an American port which he proposed to seize. Had Mr. Roosevelt been in power, Germany would have hesitated some time before inaugurating her ruthless submarine campaign.

His protest prevented the legislature of California from adopting a measure depriving Japanese children of equal privileges in the public schools.

Mr. Roosevelt was absolutely fearless in denunciation of any person or policy which he believed to be wrong.

TRAINS STOP TO HONOR ROOSEVELT

All work on the Illinois Central was suspended and all trains stopped for five minutes Wednesday morning from 11:45 to 11:50, on account of the funeral of the late Colonel Theodore Roosevelt.

MEMORIAL HELD AT THE J. M. U.

Judge Whitfield Speaks on Roosevelt.

The chapel exercises at the James Millikin university were given over to a memorial service for Theodore Roosevelt on Wednesday morning. Judge W. K. Whitfield delivered the memorial address, and Dean J. C. Hessler read a few of the dead president's most inspiring words concerning the service of the country, and the doctrine of a strenuous life.

In speaking Judge Whitfield said that it was most fitting that at Millikin should be the first memorial service in the city because Theodore Roosevelt is so closely connected with that institution, having played such an important part in the dedication of the school.

WHITFIELD TALKS.

Judge Whitfield then spoke of the man himself, of the wonderful life of service that he had led, and the admiration which people all over the world hold for him. The judge spoke of a recent cartoon that had appealed to him for "it was one of the greatest tributes paid to Theodore Roosevelt." Telling of this cartoon, he said:

First there was the flag of the country at half mast. I saw this as the flag that the dead president has served and which he strove to keep glorious. The emblem of the nation that he lived for, and worked for during the long years of his life. The flag which was so dear to him. A little below the national flag there was the flag that has grown so dear to the wives and mothers of the country, the service flag, with one glittering star on it. This star bore the letters "T. R.", and above it were the few simple words, 'The nation's service flag.' A flag which truly represents the service of this great man to the nation and to the world."

In closing Judge Whitfield said:

"In looking over the events of this man's life if you should find weaknesses let them be veiled by the remembrance that the man is human."

OGLESBY SCHOOL HOLDS MEMORIAL

For Colonel Roosevelt; Program Is Presented.

Oglesby school had a memorial for Theodore Roosevelt Wednesday afternoon. The school assembled in the lower corridor at 3 o'clock and had the following program in memory of the ex-president:

Song—"America."

"Roosevelt as He Is Recorded in United States History" — Luther Shields.

Reading of Editorial on Roosevelt —Fern Nein.

"Some Sayings of Roosevelt"—Donald Frost.

"Roosevelt's Visit to Decatur"—Maria Williams.

"Star Spangled Bonner."

MRS. MELLINGER'S CONDITION CRITICAL

Mrs. Lemon Mellinger, 14 Johnson avenue, who suffered a paralytic stroke last Friday night, does not improve any. She is in a critical condition.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Meridith, who have been confined to their beds with severe colds since last Saturday, were able to be up and around the house Wednesday morning.

Mrs. S. M. Hagaman, who has been sick for the last ten days with the "flu," is improving very fast.

Charges Cruelty.

Ella McCrum has filed a bill for divorce from Millard McCrum. They were married Oct. 16, 1904, and lived together till May 20, 1918. She charges him with cruelty and asks for the custody of their son, Ralph, aged eleven.

Y. M. C. A. PLANS FINANCIAL DRIVE

200 to 250 Men and Boys Will Participate.

BIG YEAR AHEAD

May Establish "Hut" in Northeast Decatur.

Arrangements are being made by the Y. M. C. A. for their annual financial drive to be held about the last of January. It is the present intention of the association officials to put the campaign over in two days and not allow it to drag out as it has on some former occasions.

200 TO PARTICIPATE.

In the neighborhood of 200 or 250 men and boys will participate in the drive. There will be no difficulty in knowing that it is on when the time arrives. It is the intention to give every person in the city a chance to contribute.

According to Secretary W.H. Duerr the outlook for a big year's work was never so bright at the Y. M. C. A before. A new department will likely be established in northeast Decatur to take care of the employes of the Faries factory and those in the Chamber of Commerce addition. A structure along the lines of the army Y M. C. A. huts, will probably be built somewhere in that neighborhood.

INTEREST IN CLASSES.

Interest in the gymnasium classes was never more great than at present There were twenty business men in one class on Tuesday evening. With the soldiers rapidly returning it is likely that there will be plenty of activity in the association gymnasium from now on.

MAKING REPAIRS ON TURNER HALL

Work to Be Completed About March 1.

Mention was made at the meeting of the board of directors of the Welfare home Wednesday morning at the Y. W. C. A. of the progress which is being made on the Turner hall building which is being remodeled for the welfare home. The work on the roof and the flues is finished, and contracts have been let for excavating, tearing out lumber and underpinning. It is expected this work will not be done before March 1, and the general contract will not be let for some time yet.

It was voted by the board to discontinue notifying by telephone the board members of the meetings, since the board meetings will be announced in the papers, and will always be held on the second Wednesday of the month at the Y. W. C. A. The hour is 9:30.

The report of the matron showed the following figures for the month: Average daily number in the home, 11, dependents, 7; transients, 14; homes found by Mrs. Wagenseller for adoption, 4; placed in families to work, 4; sent away to school, 1; given back to parents, 6.

It was reported that the people in the home had a very enjoyable Christmas. Each one was remembered with gifts.

The donations for the month were as follows:

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Two chickens, one gallon milk, one quart cream—Mrs. Susie Powell.

One-half bushel potatoes, eight cans fruit, one-half bushel apples, two glasses jelly, three pumpkins, two squashes, one-half bushel onions — Evangrove school.

Two pounds wieners — Mrs. Susie Powell.

Three bushels cabbage, one bushel onions—Ed March.

Five pints, fruit, two glasses jelly —Prairie Vale school.

One-half bushel potatoes, four pumpkins, one-half bushel onions, nine quarts fruit—Elm Grove school.

One-half peck potatoes, four pumpkins, four cans fruit, glass jelly—Bois D'Arc school.

Sixty cent beef roast—Mrs. Susie Powell.

Nine popcorn balls on sticks of candy—Jasper school.

Three pounds nuts—No name.

Tree and candy—Mrs. Scovill.

Candy and nuts—May's grocery.

Box of gifts, one for each child and matron—Mrs. Meredith.

Beautiful miscellaneous articles for children—Four young women.

Two books—Mrs. Ada Stoner.

Two books—Mrs. R. R. Montgomery.

Six dressed dolls—Mrs. H. S. Gebhart.

Five books, twenty-five games — Mrs. J. S. Baldwin.

One box fine apples—Decatur Orchard company.

Seven pints fruit—Miller district school.

Three pecks potatoes, one-half gallon beans, fourteen quarts fruit, two glasses jelly — Lake View district school.

Nine stockings home made candy—Anna Mary Humble.

Beautiful large quilt — Mrs. J. S. Keener, Second Presbyterian church.

Two plum puddings — Mrs. Charles Bachman.

Ice cream cones—Mrs. J. S. Baldwin.

Ice cream for Christmas dinner—Polar company.

Five dollars in cash — Mrs. Earl Brown.

MEETINGS.

Liberty Council, No. 2229, Knights and Ladies of Security—Meeting tonight at the hall, Main and William streets. All members are requested to be present.

Macon lodge, No. 8, A. F. & A. M.—Special meeting tonight at 7:30.

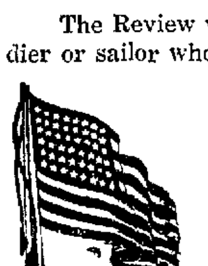
BORN.

To Mr. and Mrs. John S. Erlenbusch, 626 East Leafland, Sunday, Jan. 5, a five pound son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lester Murphy of Lovington, at the Decatur and Macon County hospital, January 8, a daughter.

HELP SOLDIERS TO SECURE JOBS

The Review will help to see that every Decatur soldier or sailor who returns from abroad or from the demobilization camps is given a job.



This newspaper will open its "situation wanted" columns to soldiers, sailors and marines, free of charge. Each Decatur man, back from the service, can secure one free insertion of an advertisement by presenting his discharge papers at The Review office. The discharge papers will be all that is necessary.

The ads from returned soldiers will be published under a flag on the classified page. The Review wants to see that every Decatur soldier, sailor or marine gets a job. After they are placed, the outsiders will be looked after.

NOAH FLETCHER DIES AT HOSPITAL

Well Known Mt. Zion Man, Aged 73, Expires.

Noah Fletcher, one of the best known residents of Mt. Zion, died at 11:30 o'clock Wednesday morning at St. Mary's hospital. He was seventy-three years old. His death was caused by kidney trouble. He was brought to the hospital in Decatur Dec. 26.

Mr. Fletcher was born near Lancaster, Fairfield county, O., April 17, 1845. He came to Macon County in 1866 and settled near Dalton City, moving from there to Mt. Zion several years ago. Mr. Fletcher was married three times. His first wife was Miss Sarah P. Wheaton. They were married Sept. 19, 1872. She died April 25, 1903. Two children by this marriage survive. They are William C. Fletched and Stephen E. Fletcher.

His second wife was Martha E. Fisher. They were married Dec. 2, 1904. She died May 26, 1909, and on Dec. 16, 1909, he and Stella Greenfield of Dalton City were married, and she survives him.

The body was removed to the Brintlinger & Sons undertaking establishment and prepared for burial.

INSTALLATION OF G. A. R. AND W. R. C.

At the joint installation of officers of the G. A. R. and the W. R. C. Tuesday night in the G. A. R. hall a large crowd was present. The officers installed for the W. R. C. were as follows:

President—Mrs. Nancy Young.
Senior vice—Mrs. Letty Sites.
Junior vice—Mrs. Lewis.
Chaplain—Mrs. Emma Barnum.
Treasurer—Mrs. Mary Reavis.
Secretary—Mrs. Delia Boone.
Musician—Mrs. Elsie Ohman.
Patriotic instructor — Mrs. Julia Bugh.
Press correspondent — Mrs. Mary Winegardner.
Conductor—Mrs. Martha Epler.
Color bearers—First, Mrs. Woolington; second, Mrs. Walsh; third, Mrs. Scott; fourth, Mrs. Baldridge.

Mrs. Inez J. Bender was installing officer. After the installation, the president, Mrs. Young, presented Mrs. Bender with a beautiful bouquet of red roses. Mrs. Sallie J. Steele presented Mrs. Julia Bugh, retiring president, with a past president's badge in behalf of the corps.

SHE LEAVES $200 TO ST. PATRICK'S

Other Bequests of Miss Agnes Kennelley.

The will of Miss Agnes Kennelley was filed with the county clerk Wednesday. She leaves $200 to St. Patrick's church to be applied in paying the debt on the new school building, $100 to St. James' Catholic church to be applied on the debt for the new church, $100 to Rev. F. J. Ostendorf in token of her friendship, $50 to St. Mary's hospital, and $100 to the mission of Our Lady of Mercy and Working Boys' home. The balance of the estate is to be divided equally among her heirs at law. James J. Finin is named as the executor.

AERIAL TRUCK TO THE RESCUE

New Rope Put in Flag Pole in Central Park.

The aerial truck of the city fire department was used Tuesday in putting a new rope on the flag pole in Central park. When Officers Halpin and Abrams went to hoist the flag Tuesday they found the cable rusted out and not enough of it left to draw the end of a new one through the pulley at the top of the pole.

Either one of the officers could have climbed the pole with ease if they had their climbing clothes on, but they had been mislaid, so they sent for the aerial crew and in a few minutes the new cable was threaded through the pulley and the old flag was floating in the breeze.

CONFERENCE ON NATION LEAGUE

Paris, Jan. 8—Secretary of State Lansing, Colonel E. M. House and Lord Robert Cecil, who has made the subject of the league of nations a special study on behalf of the British government held a long conference today regarding the details to be worked out in forming a league.

FORMER DANCING TEACHER DEAD

Mrs. R. B. Leonard Assisted Husband in Decatur.

Mrs. Kate L. Cassell has returned from a long stay in the east, where she was called by the serious illness and subsequent death of her mother, Mrs. R. B. Leonard, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Carrie Patton, in Washington, D. C., The body was buried in the family tomb at Redding(Mass., near Boston.

Mrs. Leonard was the widow of Professor R. B. Leonard, who died in Decatur about three years ago. Both Professor and Mrs. Leonard were well known to all the older residents of Decatur. Mrs. Leonard possessed a cheerful, lively disposition, and had a great many friends in the city. Professor and Mrs. Leonard had one of the first dancing academies in Decatur. They were assisted by their daughter, Mrs. Cassell, and after the Leonards retired she took up the work and has continued it ever since.

MARTHA J. PETERS

Martha J. Peters, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Peters, died Tuesday afternoon at the family residence, 1274 East Leafland avenue. She was only three days old.

The body was removed to the Moran undertaking establishment and prepared for burial, and the funeral will be held there at 10 o'clock Thursday morning. The interment will be in Greenwood.

LEONARD W. FOLEY.

Leonard W. Foley, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Vere E. Foley, died at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning at the family residence, 1511 East Marietta street. He was only two months old.

No arrangements have been made for the funeral.

MANY ATTEND HARKNESS FUNERAL

Old Friends in G. A. R. and W. R. C. in Attendance.

The funeral of Richard Harkness was held at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Dawson chapel. There was a large attendance of old friends, including members of Dunham post, 141, G. A. R., members of the Woman's Relief Corps, and members of the Musicians' union, beside many other friends. There were many beautiful floral tributes. The services were conducted by Rev. N. M. Rigg, pastor of Grace Methodist church.

The music was furnished by Mrs. Corydon C. Nicholson and Mrs. Homer Bateman.

The flowers were in charge of Mrs. Preston T. Hicks, Mrs. Frank Plumer, Mrs. W. H. Peters and Mrs. Smith.

The pallbearers were Charles P. Housum, Edward C. Mitchell, A. E. Campbell, Frank Williams, John Weigand and George Shaffer. A band composed of members of the Musicians' union acted as an escort to the cemetery. The interment was in Greenwood.

MRS. MINNIE KUSH.

The funeral of Mrs. Minnie Kush, wife of John Kush, was held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bauch, 836 East Clay street, and at 2:30 o'clock at the Trinity Methodist church. The services were conducted by Rev. F. J. Sternberg.

The music was furnished by Mrs. A. Hartmann and Miss Frieda Moessner. Miss Esther Sternberg was the accompanist.

There were many beautiful floral tributes, in charge of Mrs. Clarence Walker, Miss Lillie Elmers, Mrs. Charles Kush, Mrs. Edward Kush, Miss Pearl Ammann and Miss Frances Schuermann.

The pallbearers were Martin Gahring, Clarence Rubicam, Clarence Walker, Roy Ammann, Edward Kush and Charles Kush. The interment was in Greenwood.

LUCIEN SEGAR.

The body of Lucien Segar arrived from Oklahoma City at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and was taken to Moran's chapel. The funeral will be held at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the family residence, 1060 West Wood street. The interment will be in Fairlawn cemetery.

DAVID BROWN.

The funeral of David Brown will be held at 7:30 o'clock Thursday morning at the Moran chapel. The services will be conducted by Rev. C. R. Booth, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist church. The body will be taken to Moweaqua for interment.

H. F. TAGGART BACK TO D. H. S.

Harold F. Taggart, formerly teacher of history and basketball coach in the high school has been discharged from the army at Camp Taylor-Louisville, and writes asking for a position in the high school for next semester. A place will probably be found for him. Mr. Taggart won a commission as second lieutenant,

LOCAL ITALIANS WELCOME GENERAL

Reception for Guglielmotti in Decatur.

EXPECT BIG CROWD

Italian Leader Tells How Allies Were Saved.

Plans are being made by the Italian society of Decatur, of which Joe Bartello is president, to tender a reception for Major General Guglielmotti, military attache of the Royal Italian embassy at Washington, who comes to Decatur Friday to deliver an address before the City club. The reception by the local Italians will probably be held some time during the afternoon.

CITY CLUB COMMITTEE.

In addition, a City club commitete, headed by Irving P. Bright, chairman, is making arrangements for a general reception for the distinguished Italian at the Hotel Orlando. Others on this committee are J. F. Mattes, M. C. Nelson, Rev. J. W. McDonald, H. W. McDavid, W. G. McCullough and Robert Mueller.

The City club meeting, at which General Guglielmotti will speak, is to be held at 6:30 o'clock. It is open to members of the City club, their wives and friends. A large attendance is expected.

Major General Guglielmotti addressed members of the Mid-day club of Springfield at the Leland hotel, Tuesday night. He declared that Italy on two occasions won the war for the Allies.

TWO OCCASIONS.

One of these times was when in May, 1915, when the Russian hosts were being driven in disorder out of Austria by the Austrian and German armies, Italy declared war on Austria and Germany and compelled Austria to turn the larger portion of her army back to the western front to oppose the Italian army.

The second time was in June of last year, when the German army was making its third and last great offensive of the year in France, Italy started her offensive, which resulted in the crushing of Austria's military power and the putting out of the war of that empire.

NINE NEW CASES OF "FLU" REPORTED

Nine new cases of influenza were reported in the following families from Tuesday noon to Wednesday noon:

S. Pryor, 639 S. Main.
Truesdale, 434 N. Broadway.
K. Owen, 885 N. Edward.
Helphenstine, 1129 W. Macon.
Woodward, 1056 W. Cerro Gordo.
T. Weakley, 1046 E. Prairie.
J. W. Moreland, 320 E. Eldorado.
F. Meek, 1248 N. Monroe.
C. M. Borchers, 615 S. Crea.

SELL SEATS FOR NOTED ORGANIST

Joseph Bonnet at First Methodist Church Jan. 14.

Tickets are now on sale for single seats for the pipeorgan recital by Joseph Bonnet at the First Methodist church Tuesday evening, Jan. 14, at 8:15. This is the second number in the artist series of the Millikin Conservatory of Music. The single admission tickets are $1, and they can be secured at Haines & Essick's, Emerson piano house, or Millikin Conservatory office.

Mr. Bonnet, who is spoken of in Musical America as the world's greatest pipeorganist, has come to America under the auspices of the French-American Association for Musical Art.

CASES IN THE JUSTICE COURTS

Elmer Donaldson and Gussie Reilly were arrested by the police Tuesday night on a charge of disorderly conduct. They pleaded guilty before Justice O'Mara and each was fined $11.80.

Mont Cardiff, aged fourteen, arrested on complaint of Mrs. E. J. Striewing of the Crystal theater for disturbing the peace, pleaded guilty before Justice Keeler and was fined $6.80.

MUST GET RED CROSS WORK DONE

Last Call for Knitters and for Garment Makers.

All the knitters who have Red Cross yarn out are asked to have their articles completed and turned in by Jan. 25, as that is the last day for receiving them. It is probable that the work shop will be shut up then.

Workers are needed just now on the garments for refugee children. There are still nearly 300 garments to be made in the supply of 1,000 asked to be sent in by Jan. 14. These garments are for little girls, and after they are in 1,000 boys' garments are to be made and shipped by Feb. 1.

DEEDS RECORDED.

Leo B. Ebert to Ella M. Ebert, sixth interest in north half, northwest quarter, 15-14-1 east—$1.

C. M. Jack to Louis Rupert, lot 2, block 1 Imboden's Springs addition—$1.

D. F. Grant to John Allen, west 35½ feet of lot 7, block 8, South addition—$1.

Mabel Cross to Sarah C. Joynt, one-forty-second interest in southeast quarter, northeast quarter 14, and east half, east half, southeast quarter, southeast quarter 14-16-1 east—$268.

N. B. Burge to Flossie Long, lot 127, East Harrison avenue, Elmhurst—$345.

Laura E. Peters to William Zelasko, lot 30, F. L. Florey's second addition—$350.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Duane Coleman, Decatur..............18
Flora Belle Staley, Decatur..............18

Carl Schroll, Hickory Point township...20
Lenora I. Webb, Hickory Point township..18

MORE LIVE STOCK IN MACON COUNTY

Sidney Smith, Farm Agent, Tells Profit is Being Overlooked—Many Farmers at Meeting.

Closing its first year of existence with 385 members on its roll the Macon County Farm Bureau had its first annual meeting in Decatur Wednesday in the circuit court room, and heard the reports of its officers, listened to a talk on the Federal Loan bank and took lunch at the Hotel Orlando at noon.



SIDNEY SMITH.

The reports of the treasurer and secretary, M. C. Stookey and George A. Gilman, dealt with the business details of the year's work and showed that the organization had grown steadily in membership an activity.

The report of the Farm Bureau agent, Sidney Smith, went more into the actual farm problems which should be worked on in this county and he emphasized the need of increasing the acreage of leguminous crops and the number of live stock animals on the farms here.

NEED MORE NITROGEN.

"The 1910 consuses," said Mr. Smith. "shows that about one acre in forty in Macon county was in clover and that was practically the only legume crop grown at that time. The proportion of clover to grain acreage has been greatly increased since that time and in addition to this alfalfa, sweet clover and soy beans are grown successfully and profitably and are well liked.

"The need of nitrogen and humus is so great that an increased acreage of legumes is one of the important things to be achieved to improve the agriculture of this county.

LIVE STOCK.

"Little has been done by the Farm Bureau with reference to the live stock situation in the county. The encouragement of feeding more stock and an increase in the number of animals bred and fed in the county is another of the very important lines to be undertaken. In fact, a material increase in legumes and live stock will I believe, do more to increase the profit of farming operations in this county than anything else. They are, I believe, the two things which will show the greatest benefit for the effort expended."

After the report if Mr. Smith, A. A. Hill, president of the bureau, who presided at the meeting, appointed a nominating committee, consisting of A. B. Chapman, chairman, Henry Shafer and W. R. Price, to nominate men for the offices of the bureau and to report during the afternoon for for election.

FEDERAL LOAN BANK.

Following the appointment of this committee Carl E. Hopkins, vice president of the Federal Loan bank at St. Louis, talked on that institution and the reasons for the existence of this federal aid to farmers who want to borrow money.

Mr. Hopkins told how the establishment of a similar institution in Denmark had changed, in forty years, the country from a 90 per cent tenant farmer country to one where 90 per cent of the farms are owned by the farmers, and the result is an improvement instead of an impoverishment of the soil by the better care given to building up the land.

ADD MORE LIVE STOCK

HOW IT IS DONE

The federal farm bank was created by the law passed by congress for this purpose and National Farm Associations are formed in each county or in a group of counties, which handle the business in that district. The group must consist of at least ten farmers who wish to borrow money from the federal land bank and this local association is organized with its president, vice president, secretary and loan committee.

This loan committee passes on all loans and then sends its recommendation to the loan bank where, if it is there also approved, the money is voted to the local association for that particular loan.

ALL STOCK HOLDERS

The rate is 5½ per cent, the half of one per cent above the five per cent being used for the purpose of caring for the expense of the organization. Should there be any profit left it goes back to the stock holders who are the borrowers.

LOAN FOR 34½ YEARS

These federal farm loans are on the amortization plan and the usual loan is for 34½ years. On this plan the borrower pays the interest and one per cent of the principal of the loan ever year.

On a $10,000 loan the amount to be paid on the principal would be $100 each year which will pay out the loan in the 34½ years.

The weak spot in the system is that the limit for which a loan can be made is $10,000 and at the existing prices of farm lands this total is entirely too small.

Occasionally this rule is circumvented by having a land owner deed part of the land to other members of the family and each thus becomes a borrower.

The whole idea of the scheme is to permit the small borrower to get money at a moderate rate of interest in these very long terms so as to increase the number of land owners and thereby increase the care which the owner of the land will give to the building up of the fertility of the soil, a fact which interests the temporary tenant very little.

MAY FORM OVER HERE

Whether or not a Federal Loan Association will be formed in Macon county has not yet been decided but Mr. Hopkins made the matter much clearer to the members of the bureau present than it had been before.

The circuit court room was comfortably filled and there were constant additions to the number present during the session

NEW OFFICERS OF FARM BUREAU

The following ticket was to be elected this afternoon by the Macon County Farm bureau:

President—A. A. Hill
Vice President—C. A. Hull
Secretary—George A. Gilman
Treasurer—M. C. Stookey
Members of Executive Committee—J. B. Beckett, Hugh Martin, Samuel H. Stewart, Howard A. Peverly, Edward Lyman.

The only new members in the list are Mr. Beckett and Mr. Lyman. All the others are re-elected.

200 MEN ATTEND FARM LUNCHEON

With a reservation list of 120 for the Farm Bureau luncheon Tuesday night, with the addition of thirty more names before 10 o'clock Wednesday morning over 200 men finally showed up at the Orlando Hotel Wednesday noon to attend the event.

The Palm room was filled and fifty fifty more men were seated in the grill room adjoining when the time came to serve.

After a short talk by A. A. Hill, president of the bureau, on the work of the past year, A. M. Kenney, president of the Citizens National Bank, was introduced to speak on "The Banker and the Farm Bureau."

Mr. Kenney laid strong emphasis on the value of co-operation and organization as exemplified in the many events of the past two years in Macon county and said that right now was the psychological moment when the farm bureau work would be the most important. This country must feed the world, the farmer is getting and will continue to get good prices.

Scraps of News

Mrs. Ben F. Cox and Mrs. Alice Cox of Arcola, who have been spending the last few days with Mrs. A. A. Jones, returned home Wednesday.

WILL SEW.

The ladies of St. Patrick's church will sew at the Red Cross rooms on Thursday afternoon. The women will work on clothes for the French and Belgian babies.

TO ST. MARY'S.

Ambrose Moran and Albert Goodman of Decatur, and William Delahunty, Everett Hogan and James Henneberry of Dalton City will leave this evening for St. Mary's, Kan., to attend college.

D. H. S. DISMISSED.

The high school was dismissed at 2:30 to give every body who could get into the auditorium an opportunity to attend the memorial exercises. The exercises are a public affair and are not being conducted by the school.

FIRST COLLEGE TEA AT THE UNIVERSITY

The first college tea to be held at the university during the year will be given by the Y. W. C. A. on Thursday afternoon. It has long been a custom to have these teas each week but this year they have not been held because everyone could not attend.

DELAND FUNERAL AT WHITE HEATH

Monticello, Jan. 8.—Funeral services of Guy Ernest DeLand were held at White Heath Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the U. B. church. Rev. J. F. Powell officiated. Interment in Monticello cemetery. Mr. DeLand died Sunday morning at the Springfield Open Air Colony of pneumonia.

Guy was the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest DeLand and was born in White Heath, March 7, 1896. In the August following his father died. He was reared and educated in White Heath. On June 2, 1918 he was to have entered U. S service but was disqualified on the day of reporting. On Sept. 19, he went to the open air colony for treatment. For the past two years he and his his brother, Glenn, had conducted a garage business in White Heath. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Mary DeLand; two sisters, Mrs. Effie Branch and Mrs. Vira Scott, White Heath; two brothers, Glenn of the Great Lakes Naval Training station, and Harley E. of Michigan.

NEW CISCO PRINCIPAL.

Charles Mosgrove, of this city and who recently received his honorable discharge from the marines, is the new principal at Cisco. The former principal, J. P. Loveless, resigning to go into business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Adkins were in Bement Tuesday to see Reuben Adkins, who is confined to his bed with a wrenched hip.

ALBERT FUNERAL.

Funeral services of Orpha O. Albert were held Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the family residence, three miles south of Cisco by Rev. Powell. The funeral party came to Monticello where they were met by relatives and interment was in Monticello cemetery with short services by Rev. W. G. Lloyd.

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